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## REASONS WHY ITALY WILL REFRAIN FROM INVADING EGYPT

### Approaching Crisis In North



What the ration of rum is to the British Tommy is the bottle of red wine to Italy's soldiers in Ethiopia.

### PEIPING TENSION INTENSIFIED SECRET CONFERENCE OF CHINESE LEADERS AUTONOMY MOVEMENT BEYOND LOCAL CONTROL

Peiping, Yesterday.

The genral impression here is that events are rapidly heading for a crisis, which may come as soon as Monday. It is learned that a secret conference of the local Chinese leaders lasted from last evening until 4 a.m. to-day, at the conclusion of which an important telegram was despatched, asking Nanking for more specific instructions. It is understood that the telegram was addressed to the Generalissimo, Dr. H. H. Kung and General Ho Ying-chin.

A Japanese military spokesman said that it was understood that the telegram said that the autonomy movement is developing now beyond the powers of the local authorities to stop it. On the other hand well-informed Chinese sources declare that the Japanese have now expressed the view that the autonomy of Hopei and Chahar would satisfy them, and that that area might still be nominally under Nanking.

It is reported that General Dolhara, who, it was rumoured, intended to leave to-day, is now remaining for two or three more days. — Reuter.

### AUTONOMY MOVE IN NORTH

#### PEIPING REPORTS ON ITS ORIGIN

#### ALLEGED JAPANESE SCHEME

[From Our Own Correspondent] Canton, Yesterday.

Yin Ju-keng's declaration of independence at Tungchow is a scheme of the Japanese to force General Chiang Kai-shek to live up to his acceptance of China-Japan-Manchukuo co-operation, a Sino-Japanese economic alliance, and a Sino-Japanese expedition against the Communists, according to Peiping reports.

The nationalisation of silver has angered the Japanese militarists who regard the measure as a violation of the Sino-Japanese economic alliance. Major-General Kenji Dolhara, the "Lawrence of Manchuria," immediately persuaded the northern generals to declare independence from Nanking. Having failed in his plot, General Dolhara set up the Jin Ju-keng "autonomy movement" in Tungchow, 15 miles East of Peiping.

Tungchow is located within the demilitarised zone as formed under the Tangku armistice of May 31, 1932. Yin was one of the negotiators of the truce and is quite safe within a zone into which Chinese troops cannot enter.

Peiping reports credit foreign circles as saying that when General Chiang Kai-shek was in Japan in 1927 on retirement he secured Japanese support to return to power and promised not to question what Japan would do in Manchuria and to recognise special Japanese rights in North China.

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### ARRESTED CHRISTIANS RELEASED BY JAPANESE

Peiping, Yesterday.—A message from Mukden states that the Japanese authorities have released a further eight Chinese Christians, of whom between 60 and 70 were arrested a few weeks ago. The latest releases include four British American Tobacco Co. employees and one Presbyterian pastor.—Reuter.

### WANG AGAIN TO RESIGN?

#### Official Announcement Expected To-day

Nanking, Yesterday. Mr. Wang Ching-wei, who has already submitted his resignation from the Presidency of the Executive Yuan, is generally credited with the intention of relinquishing the Foreign Portfolio also. The Executive Yuan is expected to make an announcement concerning Mr. Wang Ching-wei's intention to-morrow. — Reuter.

### SZE INTERVIEWS HULL

#### Nothing Divulged

Washington, Yesterday. Dr. Alfred Sze, the Chinese Ambassador, to-day interviewed Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, whom he informed of the latest developments in the North China separatist movement.

Asked by pressmen whether attention had been called to the Japanese obligations under the Nine-Power Treaty, Dr. Sze declared that any statement must come from Mr. Hull.—Reuter.

### PEIPING MILITARY COUNCIL

#### Activities At An End

Peiping, Yesterday. In accordance with instructions from Nanking, the Peiping Military Council closed its affairs to-day. Hereafter the affairs previously handled by it will be dealt with by the Nanking Military Council.—Reuter.

### GRIM TRAGEDY IN LONDON

London, yesterday.—Disaster befell the Haggis at the annual dinner of the St. Andrew's Club in London, attended by 500 Scotsmen last evening.

The Haggis was being carried round the dining-hall in traditional fashion amid the strains of pipers, when the chefs accidentally tilted the platter.

The Haggis dropped to the floor. It bounced, but did not burst!—Reuter.

### MANOEUVRES IN THE AIR

#### "ENEMY PLANES" ENGAGED

#### SOOCHOW SUBJECTED TO "ATTACK"

Nanking, Yesterday. Sham battles staged between Government planes and the "enemy planes" near the Tai Hu Lake and Soochow yesterday afternoon, featured the second day of the air defence manoeuvres held in Nanking, Hangchow and Chinkiang on Thursday.

Shortly after noon yesterday, the Air Defence Headquarters commissioned several planes to pursue the "enemy planes," which were reported to have waged victorious battles in Hangchow. A fierce encounter subsequently took place near the Tai Hu Lake, during which the "enemy planes" retreated.

At 3 o'clock, it was reported that nine "enemy planes" were going to attack Soochow. Emergency measures were immediately taken in the historical Chinese city. The "enemy planes" finally returned to their base at 4.30 o'clock the same afternoon, and the "martial law" was called off.—Central News Agency.

### ABYSSINIAN SUCCESSES UNCONFIRMED

#### STRICTER ITALIAN CENSORSHIP

Addis Ababa, Yesterday. The official announcement of the recapture of Ual Ual and the rumour of the re-occupation of Makalle are alike unconfirmed. The Government has telegraphed the respective commanders for further information.

An Asmara message states that the Italians are introducing stricter censorship. Marshal Badoglio, receiving journalists, said that the object of the move was to prevent information reaching the enemy.

"I shall hold correspondents responsible for what their papers publish," he said, "but I hope that this necessity will seldom arise."

He added that the war was being waged by the whole Italian people, not by individuals. "Therefore I will not allow the names of individual commanders, even my own, to be mentioned."

TRIBUTE TO DE BONO Marshal Badoglio paid a tribute to Marshal de Bono. He said: "He left me an excellent situation. Nothing will be changed, but I shall try to perfect what I have found and carry it to the conclusion desired by Italy."

A Rome message announces that Vito Mussolini, the Duce's nephew, editor of the *Popolo d'Italia*, has secured a pilot's licence and is leaving for East Africa.—Reuter.

### JAPAN'S NEXT BUDGET

#### LARGE INCREASE FORESEEN

#### HUGE EXPENDITURE ON ARMY AND NAVY

Tokyo, Yesterday. After a night-long session, interrupted several times to enable the War Minister to confer with the General Staff so as to overcome the latter's uncompromising attitude towards the cutting down of their demands, the Budgetary Committee of the Cabinet agreed to a 1936-37 budgetary expenditure of 2,272,000,000 yen, an increase of nearly 80,000,000 compared with that for 1935-36. It is made up for the various Ministries as follows:—

Navy, 551,000,000 yen;  
Army, 508,000,000 yen;  
Finance, 430,000,000 yen;  
Communications, 196,000,000 yen;  
Home Office, 179,000,000 yen;  
Education, 142,000,000 yen;  
Agriculture, 90,000,000 yen;  
Justice, 39,000,000 yen;  
Foreign Affairs, 31,000,000 yen;  
Commerce, 22,500,000 yen;  
Overseas Affairs, 19,000,000 yen;  
Imperial Affairs, 4,500,000 yen.—Reuter.

### Jijiga Next To Be Bombed

#### MERCHANTS FLEE FROM CITY

Addis Ababa: The Emperor's caravan arrived at the northern section of the front near Dessal early yesterday evening. Great precautions had been taken for the protection of the Imperial party on the journey. Bomb-proof shelters had been prepared at the places where the Emperor broke his journey, while an Abyssinian aeroplane made a reconnoitring flight.

A Djibouti message states that Italian aviators, according to a report from Harrar, dropped pamphlets over Jijiga, warning the population to leave the city, since it would be bombarded in the near future.

The Indian tradesmen of the city, as well as numerous Somali tribes under British protection, are fleeing from Jijiga to Hargaisa in British Somaliland, and the caravan route is thronged with natives. All the shops and bazars in Jijiga have closed and the strong garrison of the city have taken up their positions in carefully camouflaged trenches.—Reuter.

### BRITISH DEFENCE IMPREGNABLE

### NORTH ROUTE UNDER NAVAL CONTROL

### DESERT HAZARDS WOULD ALSO ACT AS DETERRENT

Alexandria, Yesterday.

Whatever troops Signor Mussolini may order to Libya, the talk of the invasion of Egypt is no longer regarded seriously, states Reuter's special correspondent in the Canal zone, who says that he has not met a single authority in Egypt anxious about a possible attack from Libya.

The reasons for this feeling include, firstly, the 300 miles of waterless desert offering no shelter from air attack and no cover to assaulting troops; secondly, the virtual absence of roads; thirdly, the presence of fierce armed Arabs mounted on camels who could harass the Italian flanks; fourthly, the network of British machine-gun posts protected by barbed wire; and fifthly, the maze of trenches manned by British and Egyptian troops.

It is not considered likely that an attempt by the Italian fleet to draw off the British fleet from the coast of Libya would succeed, so that any Italian column advancing along the northern road would be subject to naval gunfire. A southern column would be held up by machine-gun and artillery fire at Mersa Matruh, even if it escaped bombing by British aircraft as it advanced across the desert.

If the Italians got beyond Mersa Matruh they would encounter the bottle neck of Borg-el-arab, only 200 miles wide, bounded by the sea on the one side and marshes on the other, guarded by machine-gun posts in mounds.

The final obstacle would be the heavily-fortified environs of Alexandria. Although Libya is within air range of Italy, the greatly strengthened Royal Air Force in Egypt would be able to repel an air attack.

Other cables on Abyssinia will be found on Page 11.

### ROME CABINET MEETING

Rome: The Italian Cabinet met this morning for the first time since the outbreak of hostilities. While it is emphasised in official circles that the meeting was the first of a number of normal sittings and not in response to an emergency summons, a Government spokesman stated that the Ministers would naturally review the position created by the sanctions.

The counter-attacks against sanctions framed at the last meeting of the Fascist Grand Council would all be discussed in detail, he declared.

### DEADLOCK IN GREECE

#### King And Kondylis Both Stand Firm

Athens, Yesterday. The constitutional crisis is still at a deadlock. Both the King and General Kondylis are unwilling in the matter of the proposed amnesty. The King has turned to the leader of the Progressive Party, M. Demerdjic, who is expected to form a new Ministry.

Meanwhile a remarkable transformation has occurred owing to the King's attitude. The Venizelists are warmly supporting the monarch, whom they had previously detested, while the Royalists and Kondylis are losing their affection for him. The Kondylis Minister, M. Mavro Michellis, has returned to the King when he returned to Athens.

The King remains a favourite among the people. His amnesty decree is expected to be signed to-day by the Demerdjic Ministry, after which general elections will be held.—Reuter.

### "FAIRPLAY FOR CAPITAL"

#### Dr. Schacht On "Little Fuehrers"

#### STINGING ATTACK ON RADICAL NAZI IDEAS

Berlin, Yesterday.

Dr. H. Schacht, the President of the Reichsbank, addressing the Academy of German Law, appealed for fairplay for capital in order to enable Germany to continue her constructive programme. He criticised the application of radical Nazi ideas to industry and made stinging observations about "Little Fuehrers."

"We cannot forget that the products of capital, for example, harvesters and mechanical ploughs, are indispensable for feeding a nation of 66,000,000 people," he said. "Nothing requires a capitalist foundation as much as a modern army. Guns, aeroplanes, submarines and everything belonging to modern defence are unthinkable except in the highest development of capitalism."

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### TWO FERRIES COLLIDE

#### SIXTY DROWNED IN GRAND CANAL

Shanghai, Yesterday. Chinese despatches state that 60 people were drowned on Thursday last when two ferries in which they were travelling capsized in a storm in the Grand Canal near Suchien, Kiangsu.—Reuter.

### PIRATE CHIEF ARRESTED

#### "BIG HEAD" CAUGHT IN SHANGHAI

Shanghai, Yesterday. Chinese press reports state that the notorious Kwangtung pirate chief Chen Kang, known as "Big Head," has been arrested in the Chinese city in Shanghai, where he has been hiding for the past three months.—Reuter.

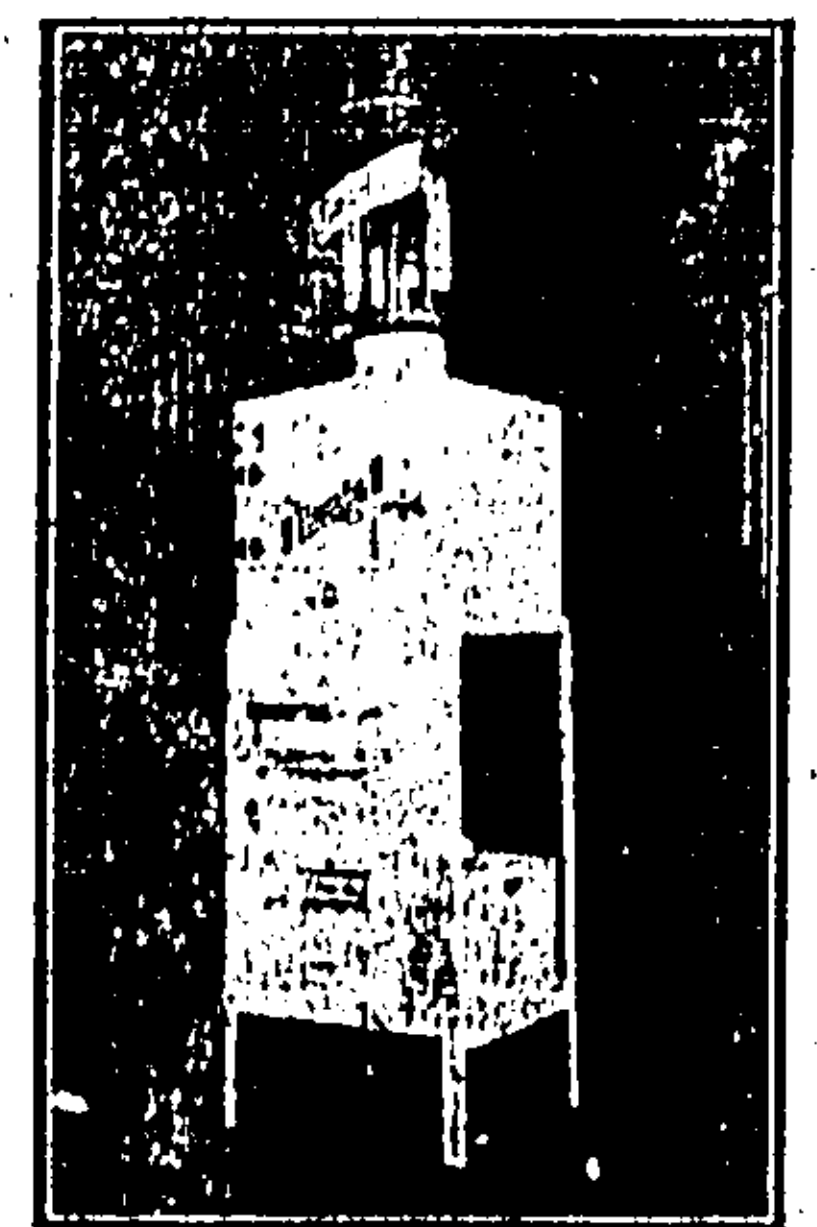


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# THE ISLAND

By MAURICE BARING

"PERHAPS we had better not land after all," said Lewis, as he was stepping into the boat; "we can explore this island on our way home."  
"We had much better land now," said Stewart; "we shall get to Tenerife to-morrow in any case. Besides, an island that's not on the chart is too exciting a thing to wait for."  
Lewis gave in to his younger companion, and the two ornithologists, who were on their way to the Canary Islands in search of eggs, were rowed to shore.  
"They had better fetch us at sunset," answered Stewart.  
"I don't think so," said Lewis; but after a pause he told the sailors that if they should be more than half an hour late they were not to wait, but to come back in the morning at ten. Lewis and Stewart walked from the sandy bay up a steep basaltic cliff which sloped right down to the beach.  
"The island is volcanic," said Stewart.  
"All the islands about here are volcanic," said Lewis. "We shan't be able to climb much in this heat," he added.  
"It will be all right when we get to the trees," said Stewart. Presently they reached the top of the cliff. The basaltic rock ceased and an open grassy incline was before them, covered with myrtle and cactus bushes; and farther off a thick wood, to the east of which rose a hill sparsely dotted with olive trees. They sat down on the grass, panting. The sun beat down on the dry rock; there was not a cloud in the sky nor a ripple on the emerald sea. In the air there was a strange aromatic scent; and the stillness was heavy.

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"I don't think it can be inhabited," said Lewis.  
"Perhaps it's merely a volcanic island cast up by a sea disturbance," suggested Stewart.  
"Look at those trees," said Lewis, pointing to the wood in the distance.  
"What about them?" asked Stewart.  
"They are oak trees," said Lewis. "Do you know why I didn't want to land?" he asked abruptly. "I am not superstitious, you know, but as I got into the boat I distinctly heard a voice calling out, 'Don't land!'"  
Stewart laughed. "I think it was a good thing to land," he said. "Let's go on now."  
They walked towards the wood, and the nearer they got to it the more their surprise increased. It was a thick wood of large oak trees which must certainly have been a hundred years old. When they had got quite close to it they paused.  
"Before we explore the wood," said Lewis, "let us climb the hill and see if we can get a general view of the island."  
Stewart agreed, and they climbed the hill in silence. When they reached the top they found it was not the highest point of the island, but only one of several hills, so that the view was limited. The valleys seemed to be densely wooded and the oak wood was larger than they had imagined. They lay down and rested and lit their pipes.  
"No birds," remarked Lewis gloomily.  
"I haven't seen one—the island is extraordinarily still," said Stewart.  
The farther they had penetrated inland the more oppressive and sultry the air had become; and the pungent aroma they had noticed directly was stronger. It was like that of mint, and yet it was not mint; and although sweet it was not agreeable. The heat seemed to weigh even on Stewart's spirits, for he sat smoking in silence and no longer urged Lewis to continue their exploration.  
"I think the island is inhabited," said Lewis, "and that the houses are on the other side. There are some sheep and some goats on that hill opposite. Do you see?"  
"Yes," said Stewart. "I think they are mouflon, but I don't think the island is inhabited all the same." No sooner were the words out of his mouth than he started, and, rising to his feet, cried, "Look there!" and he pointed to a thin wreath of smoke which was rising from the wood. Their languor seemed to leave them, and they ran down the hill and reached the wood once more. Just as they were about to enter it Lewis stooped and pointed to a small plant with white flowers and three oval-shaped leaves rising from the root.  
"What's that?" he asked Stewart, who was the better botanist of the two. The flowers were quite white, and each had six pointed petals.  
"It's a kind of garlic, I think," said Stewart.  
Lewis bent down over it. "It doesn't smell," he said. "It's not unlikely moly, *Allium flavum*; only it's white instead of yellow, and the flowers are larger. I'm going to take it with me."  
He began scooping away the earth with a knife so as to take

out the plant by the roots. After he had been working for some minutes he exclaimed, "This is the toughest plant I've ever seen; I can't get it out." He was at last successful, but as he pulled the root he gave a cry of surprise.  
"There's no bulb," he said.  
"Look. Only a black root."  
Stewart examined the plant. "I can't make it out," he said.  
Lewis wrapped the plant in his handkerchief and put it in his pocket. They entered the wood. The air was still more sultry here than outside, and the stillness even more oppressive. There were no birds and not a vestige of bird life.

"This exploration is evidently a waste of time as far as birds are concerned," remarked Lewis. At that moment there was a rustle in the undergrowth, and five pigs crossed their path and disappeared, grunting. Lewis started, and for some reason he could not account for, shuddered; he looked at Stewart, who appeared unconcerned.  
"They are not wild," said Stewart. They walked on in silence. The place and its heavy atmosphere had again affected their spirits. When they spoke it was almost in a whisper. Lewis wished they had not landed, but he could give no reason to himself for his wish. After they had been walking for about twenty minutes they suddenly came on an open space and a low white house. They stopped and looked at each other.

"Where is the chimney?" cried Lewis, who was the first to speak. It was a one-storeyed building, with large windows, (which had no glass in them) reaching to the ground, wider at the bottom than at the top. The house was overgrown with creepers; the roof was flat. They entered in silence by the large open doorway and found themselves in a low hall. There was no furniture and the floor was mossy.

"It's rather like an Egyptian tomb," said Stewart, and he shivered. The hall led into a farther room, which was open in the centre to the sky, like the impluvium of a Roman house.  
It also contained a square basin of water, which was filled by water bubbling from a lion's mouth carved in stone. Beyond the impluvium there were two smaller rooms, in one of which there was a kind of raised stone platform. The house was completely deserted and empty. Lewis and Stewart said little; they examined the house in silent amazement.

"Look," said Lewis, pointing to one of the walls. Stewart examined the wall and noticed that there were traces on it of a faded painted decoration.  
"It's like the wall paintings at Pompeii," he said.  
"I think the house is modern," remarked Lewis. "It was probably built by some eccentric, at the beginning of the nineteenth century, who did it up in Empire style."

"Do you know what time it is?" said Stewart suddenly. "The sun has set and it's growing dark."  
"We must go at once," said Lewis; "we'll come back here to-morrow." They walked on in silence. The wood was dim in the twilight, a stifling breeze made the trees rustle now and again, but the air was just as sultry as ever.



Cowan and Bailey, above, the Hollywood Entertainers, will appear at the Hong Kong Hotel on the occasion of the season's opening Gala Night on Saturday next. They entertain at the piano, with the banjo and with singing.

The shape of the trees seemed fantastic and almost threatening in the dimness, and the rustle of the leaves was like a human moan. Once or twice they seemed to hear the grunting of pigs in the undergrowth, and to catch sight of bristly backs.

"We don't seem to be getting any nearer the end," said Stewart after a time. "I think we've taken the wrong path." They stopped. "I remember that tree," said Stewart, pointing to a twisted oak; "we must go straight on from there to the left." They walked on, and in ten minutes' time found themselves once more at the back of the house. It was now quite dark.  
"We shall never find the way now," said Lewis. "We had better sleep in the house." They walked through the house into one of the farthest rooms and settled themselves on the mossy platform. The night was warm and starry, the house deathly still except for the splashing of the water in the basin.

"We shan't get any food," Lewis said.  
"I'm not hungry," said Stewart, and Lewis knew that he could not have eaten anything to save his life. He felt utterly exhausted and yet not at all sleepy. Stewart, on the other hand, was overcome with drowsiness. He lay down on the mossy platform and fell asleep almost instantly. Lewis lit a pipe; the vague forebodings he had felt in the morning had returned to him, only increased tenfold. He felt an uncomfortable physical discomfort, an inexplicable sensation of uneasiness.

Then he realised what it was. He felt there was someone in the house besides themselves, someone or something that was always behind him, moving when he moved, and watching him. He walked into the impluvium, but heard nothing and saw nothing. There were none of the thousand little sounds, such as the barking of a dog, or the hoot of a night-bird, which generally complete the silence of a summer night. Everything was uncannily still.

He returned to the room. He would have given anything to be back on the yacht, for besides the physical sensation of discomfort and of something watching him he also felt the unmistakable sense of impending danger that had been with him nearly all day. He lay down and at last fell into a doze. As he dozed he heard a subdued noise, a kind of buzzing, such as is made by a spinning-wheel or a shuttle on a loom, and more strongly than ever he felt that he was being watched. Then all at once his body seemed to grow stiff with fright. He saw someone enter the room from the impluvium.

It was a dim, veiled figure, the figure of a woman. He could not distinguish her features, but he had the impression that she was strangely beautiful; she was bearing a cup in her hands, and bent over him, offering him the cup.

Something in Lewis prompted

him to cry out with all his might. "Don't drink! Don't drink!" He heard the words echoing in the air, just as he had heard the voice in the boat; he felt that it was imperative to call out, and yet he could not; he was paralysed; the words would not come. He formed them with his lips, but no sound came. He tried with all his might to rise and scream, and he could not move. Then a sudden cold faintness came upon him, and he remembered no more till he woke and found the sun shining brightly. Stewart was lying with his eyes closed, moaning loudly in his sleep.

Lewis tried to wake him. He opened his eyes and stared with a fixed, meaningless stare. Lewis tried to lift him from the platform, and then a horrible thing happened. Stewart struggled violently and made a snarling noise, which froze the blood in Lewis's veins.

He ran out of the house with cold beads of sweat on his forehead. He ran through the wood to the shore, and there he found the boat. He rowed back to the yacht and fetched some quinine. Then, together with the skipper, the steward, and some other sailors, he returned to the ominous house. They found it empty. There was no trace of Stewart. They shouted in the wood till they were hoarse, but no answer broke the heavy stillness.

Then, sending for the rest of the crew, Lewis organised a regular search over the whole island. This lasted till sunset, and they returned in the evening without having found any trace of Stewart or of any other human being in the night a high wind rose, which soon became a gale; they were obliged to weigh anchor so as not to be dashed against the island, and for twenty-four hours they underwent a terrific tossing. Then the storm subsided as quickly as it had come.

They made for the island once more and reached the spot where they had anchored three days before. There was no trace of the island. It had disappeared.

When they reached Tenerife the next day they found that everybody was talking of the great tidal wave which had caused such damage and destruction in the islands.

## BOYS' NERVE TEST

### Heads On Railway Lines

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Coats come in all lengths, but the note of the season is the short one that barely reaches the knees. It permits splendid freedom for walking and has the snap and ease of a suit coat. Moreover, models such as these are interestingly trimmed.

### The Tunic Line

There are short gray kidskin coats with the tunic line. The shoulders are shaped by tucks that open out and give the sleeves the now required fullness. This is caught in at the wrist by turned-back cuffs; the cuff motif is repeated on the pockets. The little stand-up collar is trimly tailored. The large buttons and belt are of gray cord that tones into the darkest shade of the fur.

The nutria swagger coat, though not quite as short, is of a practical town length; it has a swing back, the fullness of which is gathered in at the neck. The beauty of it is that the fullness lies smoothly across the shoulders and smuggles easily into the collar line. This type of coat will be a great favourite as a part of a tweed ensemble; many such models are being made with tweed skirts or dresses and lined with the same material.

Another version of the short swing coat is the Persian lamb. It is so youthful in style that any little debutante would love to trot out to luncheon in it. No longer need we associate Persian lamb with wealthy dowagers; this year it has taken on a new lease of life. The bulky styles of old have been abandoned. Persian has emerged in jaunty peplum jackets. In one instance it is handled in strips mounted on satin (about one inch of this appeared between the fur stripes), which gave the coat a supple richness.

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At the forthcoming collections gilded or silvered cork costume jewellery will be launched. Long tubular buckles, clips and other ornaments will be made in massive fluted column motifs. In design, this cork jewellery is inspired by the Italian primitives.

Chic gauntlets are pleated at the back from the knuckles to the edge. The pleats can be held in place by a loop and button at the wrist, or if the wearer prefers they may flare untrammelled.

From left to right: 1. Flame coloured Doveton afternoon frock, 2. Black velvet cocktail dress with a Renaissance influence, 3. Flesh-pink evening frock with very full pleated skirt, 4. A velvet hostess gown, very tight fitting bodice, full skirt.

These gloves are shown in various fabrics, but they are smartest in suede.

Addresses and telephone numbers are outmoding monograms on both daytime bags and evening handkerchiefs. They may be encrusted, embroidered or stamped. A well-known elegante is wearing unusual daytime clips which literally cover her ears. They are shaped like lovebirds and are made of stained, carved ivory, and have enamelled eyes.

## FURNISHING FASHIONS

THERE are all sorts of lovely and practical materials for those who are planning new colour schemes for their rooms this autumn.

Hand-blocked linens stand high on this list. They have all the durability of ordinary linen, but as the name infers the pattern is the work of an individual artist. Colours, therefore, are perfect and designs intricate. For example, natural coloured linen is stamped with zigzag green branches bearing red-brown oak leaves; another has a feather effect twined into a geometrical design, carried out in lettuce green on a pale lemon ground.

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Frosted glass is again seen in pendant light fittings; one very beautiful idea being a centre globe hung by a single chain; on to the globe are attached separate leaves which reflect the light at different angles and at the same time look most decorative.

For ornaments, metal and wood are much in favour. Very austere designed, they lend distinction to any room.

There are boats with a curving sail and a solitary sailor, winged birds in full flight, and even the famous "giraffe-necked" women of the East, all beautifully moulded.

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### Any Odd Time

A game can be so conveniently fitted in at any odd time when there is an hour or less to spare, time of day and weather making no difference. Whereas squash courts were few and far between not so long ago, nowadays they are fairly plentiful and more and more are being built.

This game can be taken up by a woman without fear of strain, provided she does not attempt to play for too long on end or too often. My experience is that a game lasting half an hour is quite enough, and if you do this three times a week you are getting as much violent exercise as is good for you. A daily game is only for those who are in strict training.

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# KOWLOON HOLD FUSILIERS TO ONE GOAL IN SENIOR DIVISION

## RECREIO OUTPLAY SOUTH CHINA "B"

### BUT FAULTY SHOOTING LOSES POINT

#### WRONG TACTICS IN OPENING HALF

SOUTH China "B" were featured yet again in a goalless draw yesterday, when they met the Recreio in their First Division soccer encounter. It was rather a tame game, flavoured with but little excitement.

The Recreio should have decided the result during the first half. Chances galore came their way through clever approach work, yet in front of goal their inside forwards fell over themselves in their efforts to avoid shouldering the responsibility of shooting!

Too little attention was paid to the wingmen, with the result that Bertie Gosano, Gomes and Castilho were always endeavouring to break through a defence that outnumbered them. C. Marques, on the right wing, was certainly given quite a few good passes, but his slowness in parting with the ball invariably left the other forwards too well marked to make use of the pass when it eventually came.

## VITAL SENIOR LEAGUE MATCH FOR TO-DAY

### BOLD MOVE BY POLICE

#### GOOD PROGRAMME THIS AFTERNOON

Caroline Hill will this afternoon represent the Mokka of thousands of soccer fans who will flock to the headquarters of the South China Athletic Association to witness the champions, South China "A", in action against the present league leaders, the Police.

South China "A" are still undecided as to whom will fill the left-half berth, but this will make very little difference as Leo Kwok-wai and Lau Hing-choi are both as good as one another.

The Police have made a very bold move in experimenting at this stage of the League, and especially against the champions. They are playing Parker at inside-left and will include North at left-half, instead of Brittain, has so far given satisfaction!

#### Midway Reshuffle

Lee Wai-long will commence as tender, but there is every possibility that the game will end with Fung King-cheong leading the line with Lee on his left and Chan Kwai-liang on his right!

In any case, the game is expected to be one of the best of the year and will act as a definite pointer to the championship result.

There are three other First Division games. The Navy are fielding a very strong side against the Athletic having the services of men from the Kent and Dorsetshire, but the Midway players left the Colony this morning with the Depot ship for the South.

#### Saints Players Missing

The East Lanes, and the Saints will clash at Sookunpoo where a fast game is anticipated. The latter will be without the services of A. Ward, their clever inside-right, and Gurbachan Singh, the brilliant Indian leader, who will be engaged in a Mamak Hockey Tournament match.

South China "B" should secure both points from Kowloon in the remaining senior encounter. There are two good Junior division matches, the East Lanes, encountering the Sappers, while the Navy entertain the Athletic. The latter two teams are old rivals for Second Division honours, and a keen match is anticipated.

#### First Division

NAVY (Causway Bay, 4.00 p.m.)  
S. CHINA "A" (Causway Bay, 4.00 p.m.)  
East Lanes (Sookunpoo, 4.00 p.m.)  
Kowloon (Kowloon, 4.00 p.m.)

#### Second Division

East Lanes (Sookunpoo, 2.30 p.m.)  
NAVY (Causway Bay, 2.30 p.m.)



George Tsang, above, former captain and centre-forward of South China "B", was not included in the team yesterday for the first time since the entry of the side in the senior division over a year ago.

## FUSILIERS TOO GOOD FOR KOWLOON

### BUT SCORE ONLY ONCE

#### COAKLEY'S LEFT-FOOTED DRIVE DECIDES ISSUE

The First Division soccer encounter between the Fusiliers and Kowloon, played on the latter's ground yesterday, resulted in a victory for the soldiers by the only goal scored in the game.

This victory was well merited and as a result the Fusiliers are now temporary leaders of the division.

The civilians were the more aggressive during the latter stages of the first half, but the second portion of the game was definitely in favour of the Fusiliers, Kowloon being lucky to have but one goal scored against them.

Kowloon were the first to come into the limelight. Soon after the commencement G. White tested Rowlands with a hard shot from close range, and then Oppenheim missed a "sitter" when he completely missed the ball five yards out with only Rowlands to beat!

#### Coakley's Winning Goal

The only goal of the game was scored 20 minutes after the interval when Talbot beat G. White and passed through to Coakley who sent in a terrific left-footed drive. Boyes dived and just touched it out of the danger zone, but Hughes dashed in and netted whilst Boyes was on the ground. The rest of the game was featured by Fusiliers shooting practice, Boyes bringing off good saves from Talbot, Roberts, Conkley and Evans.

Kowloon:—Boyes; Everest, Eastman; Kemp, Bliss, Boyd; W. Knox; V. White; G. White, Oppenheim and D. Knox.

Fusiliers:—Rowlands; Wheeler, Kenting; Wanklyn, Talbot, Tucker; Hughes, Harrison, Conkley, Evans and Roberts.

## SIX FOR LINCOLNS

### St. Joseph's Fail At Chatham Road

A spirited Third Division soccer encounter was witnessed on the Chatham Road ground yesterday between the Lincolns and St. Joseph's, the Lincolns winning by 6 goals to nil.

Rush opened the scoring, and goals came with a rush from that moment, three being added within five minutes through Berryman, Hildrew and Rush.

After the changeover play became very even, but St. Joseph's were not strong enough to penetrate the soldiers' defence, and towards the close, two further military goals were added by Stone and Chisholme.

## GOALLESS DRAW

### Engineer Forwards Have Off Day

A keenly fought game in the Third Division of the soccer League at Sookunpoo yesterday, between the Fusiliers and Engineers, resulted in a goalless draw.

The Fusiliers had the best of the game in the first half, and Singleton narrowly missed scoring from a good pass by Daniels soon after the start. The Fusilier forward line retained a good combination, but their many attacks were frustrated by good defensive work on the part of Revill and Munfield.

The Engineers forwards were ragged and much needless short passing occurred at foot of preceding column.

## Yesterday's Results At A Glance

FIRST DIVISION	
R.A. (LYEMUN) 3 CLUB	
R.A. (STONECUTTERS)	2 LINCOLNS
RECREIO	0 S. CHINA "B"
KOWLOON	0 FUSILIERS
SECOND DIVISION	
RECREIO	3 CLUB
LINCOLNS	0 FUSILIERS
KOWLOON	0 R.A.S.C. & R.A.O.C.
THIRD DIVISION	
FUSILIERS	0 ENGINEERS
EAST LANCS	1 MEDICALS
LIGA	1 CHINESE
RAILWAY	0 EUROPEAN
LINCOLNS	6 ST. JOSEPH'S

## LEAGUE TABLES TO DATE

FIRST DIVISION		P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Fusiliers	10	5	1	4	23	13	14	
Police	8	5	1	2	23	9	12	
S. China "A"	5	5	0	0	20	3	10	
Recreio	9	3	2	4	17	13	10	
Lincolns	9	3	2	4	26	16	10	
Cub	10	5	6	0	22	19	10	
Navy	5	5	4	1	0	19	14	
St. Joseph's	5	3	3	1	17	25	7	
East Lanes	7	3	3	1	12	17	7	
S. China "B"	5	2	0	3	5	1	7	
Athletic	5	2	1	2	7	2	6	
Kowloon	10	2	1	7	14	24	5	
R.A. (Stcutters)	10	1	8	1	10	27	3	
R.A. (Lyemun)	0	0	8	1	15	37	1	
Totals	110	43	43	24	230	230	110	

SECOND DIVISION		P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
East Lanes	8	7	0	1	32	7	15	
South China	9	7	1	1	31	14	15	
Fusiliers	10	6	1	3	39	9	15	
Lincolns	9	6	2	1	29	9	13	
Engineers	8	5	2	1	23	13	11	
R.A.S.C. & R.A.O.C.		P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
R.A. O.C.	9	5	3	1	30	14	11	
Athletic	5	3	1	1	21	10	7	
Navy	10	2	6	2	19	31	6	
Recreio	9	3	6	0	19	32	6	
Eastern	9	1	6	2	13	25	4	
Radio	9	1	7	1	13	34	3	
University	8	1	6	1	10	39	3	
Kowloon	10	1	8	1	7	47	3	
Totals	122	52	52	18	300	300	122	

THIRD DIVISION		P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Fusiliers	9	7	0	2	28	12	10	
Chinese Police	9	7	1	1	22	11	10	
Medicals	8	4	2	3	25	17	11	
Lincolns	8	4	1	3	23	17	11	
Air Force	9	3	4	2	20	19	8	
Liga Portuguese	8	3	5	0	19	22	8	
Engineers	8	2	4	2	18	15	8	
European Police	9	3	6	0	17	26	6	
St. Joseph's	8	2	5	1	17	24	6	
Rayway	9	0	9	0	3	38	0	
Totals	94	40	40	14	220	220	94	

## FUSILIERS SCORE ONLY GOAL

### Lincolns Beaten In Even Game

The Fusiliers beat the Lincolns in their Second Division soccer encounter at Prince Edward Road yesterday by the narrow margin of one goal to nil.

As the score indicates, both teams were well matched, and the game proved to be a good exhibition of fast soccer with plenty of excitement around the goal areas.

In the early stages both eleven carried out many swift actions but the reliable defence put up by the Fusiliers in Slack and Gaisley successfully averted a score by the Lincolns. In return, the Fusiliers displayed plenty of energy in the first half, when they had the Lincolns' custodian, Taylor, busy making clearances in good style.

The Welshmen scored the only goal of the game, and it was indeed a fine goal from some 20 yards, by Dennis, their centre-forward.

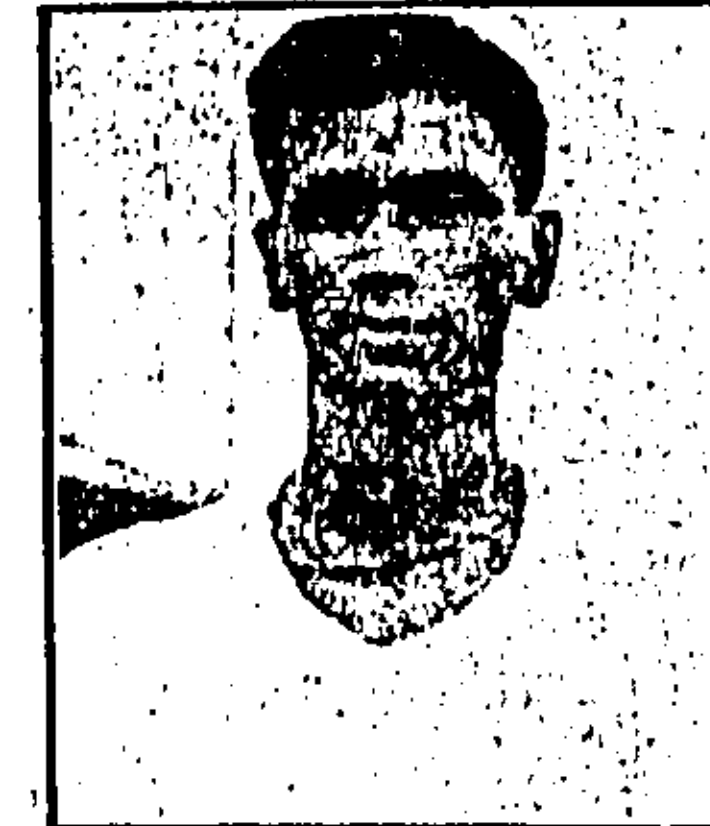
## SPOILS DIVIDED

### East Lanes. Held By Medicals

The Medicals and East Lanes shared the points in their Third Division soccer engagement at Prince Edward Road yesterday, both teams scoring once.

The Medicals scored their only goal just before half time as the result of a smart shot from Yould. The East Lanes opened a strong attack after the interval and scored several corners, but failed to net.

Wright, in the Medicals goal, received a nasty knock which gave him a bad shaking. After a two-minute break, however, he returned to his position and managed to carry on.



L. Gomes, above, the former St. Joseph's full-back, was featured in a spirited display for the Liga Portuguesa yesterday in their Third Division clash against the Chinese Police.

## CLUB SCORE

### FIVE AGAINST R.A. LYEMUN

#### But Gunners Unlucky To Lose

#### LOST OPPORTUNITIES

After a fast and exciting premier division soccer encounter at Sookunpoo yesterday the Club defeated the Artillery (Lyemun) by 5 goals to 3.

Exchanges throughout the game were extremely even and the Artillery were unlucky to lose. The Club forwards, however, grasped opportunities immediately they occurred and scored on every occasion, Elliott, the Club leader, working well and hard throughout and being responsible for three goals.

The Club were the first to attack and Gilchrist, the left-half, sent in a long shot which just failed. The Gunners carried the play into the Club half and for a short period Rodgers was kept very busy, despite good defence work by Sykes and Hill. Morton, the Artillery centre-half, had very bad luck on two occasions, two of his headers striking the crossbar.

#### Elliott Opens Scoring

Elliott, the Club leader, then led a very strong attack and managed to shoot when 15 yards out, the ball almost reaching the mark. Two minutes afterwards, from a good pass by Hynes, Elliott sent in an unstoppable shot.

Bickford's passing was erratic, and many of his kicks went wide of their mark. Sparkes, the Gunners' left-wing, though shooting and centring well when he received the ball, was neglected.

After a melee 10 yards from the Artillery goalmouth Elliott seized an opportunity and shot, and the ball being deflected off a defender into the net to send the Club further ahead.

#### Edmunds Scores

In the second half the soldiers attacked, and Edmunds, their pivot, receiving a header from Brown, reduced the arrears from close quarters.

After a strong attack on the Gunners' goal, Elliott completed his hat-trick, sending in a perfectly placed shot which Mackrill had no chance of saving, and then, from at least 30 yards out, Farrow sent in a beautifully judged shot, the ball entering the net between the crossbar and the goalkeeper's hands.

Sparkes then scored a very deserved goal, and immediately afterwards, from the replacement, Knight, the Artillery inside-left, scored with a good kick from close quarters, Rodgers being well beaten.

Bickford, the Club left-wing, who played an excellent game throughout the second half, sent in a shot which Mackrill caught, but the ball slipped over his head into the net.

Club:—Rodgers; Sykes and Hill; Milne, Farrow and Gilchrist; Hynes, Brown, Elliott, E. Strange and Bickford.

Artillery (Lyemun):—Mackrill; Fisher and Clancy; Taylor, Morton and Worthington; Rivers, Brown, Edmunds, Knight and Sparkes.

## EIGHT AGAINST KOWLOON

### Clarke Adds Five To Season's Tally

The Second Division soccer encounter between Kowloon and the Combined Corps, played at Kowloon yesterday, proved a farce, the soldiers winning a very one-sided game by eight clear goals Clarke "bagging" five!

From the opening stages of the game the issue was never in doubt, the soldiers' forward line being in

## CLUB AND LINCOLNS SUCCEED

### RECREIO SURPRISE IN JUNIOR DIVISION

#### ENGINEERS SECURE A POINT

SEVERAL surprises featured yesterday's local football programme, the biggest being provided by the Recreio, who held South China "B" to a goalless draw, their third in five clashes.

Kowloon surprised their most optimistic supporters by their display against the Fusiliers, holding the Welshman to a solitary goal, while both the Club and Lincolns registered wins.

The race for Second Division honours is gradually narrowing down to two teams, the Fusiliers, who beat the Lincolns in a thrilling clash by an only goal, and the losers, who, despite their defeat, are a game in hand and only two points in arrears. The Recreio caused an upset by beating the Club by the odd goal, while the R.A.O.C. and R.A.S.C. combined team swamped Kowloon to record their fifth win in nine games.

The Third Division will probably provide the closest race in many seasons for championship honours as a result of the Fusiliers being held by the Engineers to a goalless draw, while the Chinese Police crept up another rung by just beating the Liga Portuguesa. The Chinese Police have only lost one game in nine and have won seven of the others. The East Lanes, who were making a strong bid for the title, received a check at the hands of the Medicals, being forced to share the points.

## CLUB JUNIORS LOSE

### Recreio Stamina Tells Tale

At Kings Park yesterday the Recreio defeated the Club juniors in their Second Division soccer encounter by the odd goal in five.

Owing to the non-appearance of the official referee, a spectator volunteered to perform the duties, and in consequence the game, not being properly controlled, developed into a very poor affair.

Shortly after the commencement a pass from the left-wing resulted in the Recreio opening the score, the unmarked Santos sending in a hard drive to find the net.

Shortly afterwards Himsworth equalised for the Club following a melee in front of goal. After the half-time rest play became aggressive with both teams making good attempts at goal, Fowler eventually scoring for the Club following a good solo effort.

The Club's lead was very short-lived, however. Playing the better football, the Recreio had the Club's goal continually under pressure, and two further goals came from Figueroa and Maher before the end.

## EUROPEAN POLICE BEAT RAILWAY

### Losers Outclassed

In their Third Division soccer encounter against the Railway on the Railway ground yesterday, the European Police successfully emerged winners by four goals to nil.

The Police opened the scoring after 20 minutes through Willerton, who netted a low centre from the right. No further score was registered before the half-time whistle.

Following several raids, during which numerous chances were missed, the Police eventually increased their lead through Willerton, and during the last 10 minutes of the game, the Police, who were continually on the attack, scored two further goals through Willerton.

tip-top form.

Clarke was the best man in an excellent forward line; he was tricky and his shots at goal were fast and hard—towards the close of the game the Kowloon custodian just stood still and allowed Clarke to score without making any effort to stop his efforts.

Vaughan and Duffield made an excellent combination on the left wing; they were both good and their tricky play was pretty to watch.

The goals were scored by Clarke (5) Vaughan (2) and Duffield (1).

## LINCOLNS TOO GOOD FOR STONECUTTERS

### HIGGINS STRIKES BEST FORM

#### TWO PENALTIES: TWO GOALS

The touchlines were thronged with spectators to witness a keen First Division soccer struggle between the Lincolns and R.A. Stonecutters at Happy Valley yesterday afternoon, the game ending in a win for the Lincolns by 4 goals to 2.

Barracough was again absent from the R.A. team, but his deputy, Sergeant, played well in his stead. Hall kept a magnificent goal for the Gunners, while Belcher was easily the best half back on the field, his play in the first half being outstanding.

The Lincolns almost scored in the first minute when Higgins headed over the bar following a beautiful combined effort on the part of Clayton and Malpas, the former very cleverly tricking Roscoe. The Gunners' defence did extremely well to subdue the efforts of the opposing forwards in the early stages for Higgins kept his line well together.

#### Findly's Failing

Good tackling on the part of Belcher and long passes up the field to his forwards enabled the R.A. to threaten the Lincoln goal and Reed was called upon to save from Coyle, Sell and Adams. Findly's fault was that he did not keep up with the play, and often might have turned to good use the passes from his halves had he remedied this fault.

The first goal came from the foot of Higgins. He dashed in among a crowd of players around the R.A. goal and shot high into the net, after Malpas had miskicked. Sergeant placed the Gunners on equal terms during a melee in the goal area.

The R.A. took the lead through Adams, who netted from a penalty kick given against Thompson.

#### Lincolns Equalise

Higgins equalised eight minutes after the interval when he kicked against a R.A. defender and the ball glanced into the net past a very surprised Hall. Immediately following this, a stinging shot from Ridley was well held by the Gunners custodian. Baldry then scored for the Lincolns from a penalty kick, giving Hall no chance with a well placed shot.

The R.A. tried hard for an equaliser, but Thompson, Deeming and Robson frustrated many good efforts on the part of Adams and his inside men. Sell was rather disappointing.

Higgins was over on the alert and was a good schemer, and it was through him that the issue was placed beyond doubt. He passed to Baldry who centred accurately for Higgins to have no difficulty in tapping past Hall.

Reed played a good, cool game in goal and by no means had a light task. Moody and Edmundson were sound.

Lincolns:—Reed; Moody and Edmundson; Thompson, Deeming and Robson; Clayton, Malpas, Higgins, Baldry and Ridley.



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## PEARCE 6 FOR 9 v NAVY

### GOODWIN'S FINE BOWLING AGAINST ARMY

K.C.C. Triumph By  
7 Wickets

FINCHER CARRIES BAT FOR 51

Playing on their own ground, the Kowloon Cricket Club beat the Army by 7 wickets in their first-division League cricket match yesterday, a feature of the game being a fine undefeated innings for 51 runs by Teddy Fincher.

The Army won the toss and took first knock, but they found themselves up against some good bowling by R. Lee and Frank Goodwin who between them captured the wickets. The Kowloon skipper showed a glimpse of his old international form and his 6 for 36 runs was fully deserved.

Teddy Fincher was very subdued early in his innings, but towards the end he used the long handle to such good effect that he found the boundary on seven occasions. A. W. Ramsey helped materially with a rapid 21 not out and Kowloon passed their opponents' score with seven wickets in hand.

Scores:—

Army	
Major Bonavia, b Goodwin	3
Lt. J. P. Williams, lb.w., b Goodwin	6
Lt. E. M. Dawson, b Lee	0
Lt. C. C. Garthwaite, lb.w., b Goodwin	5
Lt. J. R. Johnson, c and b Goodwin	28
Cpl. Ballard, c E. C. Fincher, b Goodwin	0
Capt. Welch, c E. F. Fincher, b Lee	0
Lt. Clegg Hill, c E. C. Fincher, b Lee	9
C. S. M. Elvin, c Smith, b Lee	11
Capt. Power, c E. C. Fincher, b Goodwin	10
Fus. King, not out	4
Extras (B5, LB1)	6
Total	87

Fall of wickets: 1 (Williams) for 2; 2 (Dawson) for 14; 3 (Bonavia) 14; 4 (Garthwaite) for 19; 5 (Ballard) for 19; 6 (Welch) for 20; 7 (Clegg-Hill) for 32; 8 (Elvin) for 58; 9 (Johnson) for 74; 10 (Power) for 87.

Bowling Analysis	
O.	M.
R. Lee	14 2 45
F. Goodwin	13.5 4 36
Kowloon C.C.	
E. C. Fincher, not out	51
A. T. Lay, c Johnson, b Power	9
E. F. Fincher, run out	0
N. A. E. Mackay, lb.w., b Elvin	9
A. W. Ramsey, not out	21
Extras (B4, LB3)	7
Total (for 3 wickets)	97

W. C. Hung, S. V. Gittins, F. S. W. Smith, G. Lee, R. Lee and F. Goodwin, did not bat.  
Fall of wickets: 1 (Lay) for 15; 2 (E. F. Fincher) for 21; 3 (Mackay) for 66.

Bowling Analysis	
O.	M.
*Power	6 1 13
Bonavia	3 1 9
Ballard	6 1 21
Elvin	8 1 37
King	3 1 8
Williams	1 1 2
*Bowled 1 No-ball.	

### CRAIGENGOWER & SCHOOLS DRAW

F.K. Lee Undefeated  
For 75

An undefeated knock for 75 by F. K. Lee, which included 10 fours, featured the drawn friendly cricket encounter at the Valley yesterday between Craiggengower "A" and a Combined Schools' side, both teams fielding 12 men.  
C.C.C. "A": 158 for 9 dec. (F. K. Lee 75, W. Rapley 24, R. Broadbridge 4 for 30, R. Holden 2 for 20).  
Combined Schools: 116 for 10 wickets. (K. M. Baxter 31, N. Booker 21, H. Lee 3 for 10).

### MATCH POSTPONED

Owing to the sudden state of the Recreation ground, caused by the overnight rain, the second division league cricket match between the Recreation and the Craiggengower Cricket Club juniors, which was to have been played at King's Park yesterday, had to be postponed.



In America for his coming bout with Joe Louis, Pauline Uzcudun, above, flashes this smile as he arrives in New York to start training. The "Basque wood-chopper" and Detroit's "Brown Bomber" will meet in a fifteen-round bout at Madison Square Garden, New York, this month.

### SHIPP 5 FOR 5

Engineers Trounce  
Police

HOME TEAM OUT FOR 31

Playing at home yesterday, the Police R.C. were trounced by the Royal Engineers by 122 runs. L/Cpl. Shipp and S/Sgt. Moreton wreaking havoc with the ball to capture 8 wickets between them for 6 runs!

Scores:—

R. Engineers	
Capt. Foley c Meadows b Hunter	19
Sgt. Daniels lb.w. b Baker	20
S/Sgt. Moreton c Meadows b Hunter	15
Col. Kirke c Hunter b Baker	5
Capt. Singer c Carruthers b Baker	9
Cpl. Wateridge not out	34
Sgt. Eaton b Alexander	7
L/Cpl. Shipp lb.w. b Baker	6
S/Sgt. Warr not out	26
Extras (B11, NB2)	13
Total (for 7 wickets dec.)	153

Dvr. Hoddinott and Spr. Bradford did not bat.

Fall of wickets: 1 (Foley) for 38; 2 (Daniels) for 44; 3 (Moreton) for 54; 4 (Kirke) for 59; 5 (Singer) for 67; 6 (Wateridge) for 74; 7 (Eaton) for 84; 8 (Shipp) for 91.

Bowling Analysis	
O.	M.
Alexander	12 1 57
*Baker	15 4 32
Hunter	8 0 36
Carruthers	2 0 15
*Bowled two no-balls.	

Police  
W. E. Meadows c Daniels b Shipp  
T. Hunter b Hoddinott  
B. G. Baker c Eaton b Moreton  
L. Wagland c Kirke b Bradford  
M. Danbrowsky b Shipp  
A. E. Carey c Eaton b Shipp  
C. F. Alexander c Wateridge b Moreton

Bowling Analysis	
O.	M.
L. H. Oakley c Kirke b Moreton	1
G. Carruthers b Shipp	1
T. Loughlin c Eaton b Shipp	4
B. G. Thorpe not out	0
Extras (B5)	5
Total	31

Fall of wickets: 1 for 11 (Hunter); 2 for 22 (Wagland); 3 for 23 (Meadows); 4 for 23 (Danbrowsky); 5 for 23 (Carey); 6 for 23 (Baker); 7 for 24 (Oakley); 8 for 25 (Carruthers); 9 for 28 (Alexander).

Bowling Analysis	
O.	M.
Bradford	8 2 10
Hoddinott	8 3 10
Shipp	5 3 5
Moreton	4 3 1

### C.S.C.C. DRAW WITH MEDICALS

Friendly Cricket  
At The Valley

A friendly cricket match between the Civil Service Cricket Club junior eleven and the Royal Army Medical Corps ended in a draw at the Valley yesterday.  
C.S.C.C.: 124 (J. F. McGowan 45, H. Apps 3 for 66).  
R.A.M.C.: 88 for 5 wickets. (Apps 29, Snook 23, H. D. Ling 2 for 10, J. F. McGowan 2 for 15).

Other Cricket will be found on page 8.

### CLUB WIN BY 9 WICKETS AT KING'S PARK

Duckitt Undefeated  
For 51 Runs

REDMOND AIDS ATTACK

A fine bowling performance by Alec Pearce, coupled with an undefeated innings for 51 runs by E. R. Duckitt, gave the Hong Kong Cricket Club a win over the Royal Navy by 9 wickets in their senior league cricket match at King's Park yesterday.

The Club were given a good start when Duckitt and Frost put on 67 for the first wicket. Duckitt, who hit five boundaries in the course of his stay at the wicket, then went on to knock off the required runs with Alec Pearce.

Royal Navy	
Eugr. Comdr. Davis, b Redmond	15
A. B. Peatfield, b Redmond	6
Lt. Miers, lb.w., b Redmond	1
Lt. Branwell, b Pearce	22
Lt. Holland-Martin, c Hayward, b Duckitt	21
Lt. Davis, c and b Pearce	8
Lt. Prowse, not out	14
Pay-Comdr. Hargreaves, c Redmond, b Pearce	0
Lt. Bartley, c Duckitt, b Pearce	1
Lt. Comdr. Browning, b Pearce	2
A. B. Dale, b Pearce	0
Extras (B11; LB1)	12
Total	102

Fall of wickets 1 (Davis) for 18; 2 (Peatfield) for 25; 3 (Miers) for 34; 4 (Branwell) for 58; 5 (Davies) for 80; 6 (Holland-Martin) for 88; 7 (Hargreaves) for 88; 8 (Bartley) for 92; 9 (Browning) for 102; 10 (Dale) for 102.

Bowling Analysis	
O.	M.
Frost	12 3 29
Redmond	7 1 19
Duckitt	8 0 33
Pearce	7.2 3 0

Hong Kong C.C.  
E. R. Duckitt, not out . . . 51  
P. C. Frost, st. Holland-Martin, b Prowse . . . 29  
T. A. Pearce, not out . . . 24  
Extras (B4; LB1; W1) . . . 6

Bowling Analysis	
O.	M.
H. D. Kilbee, I. McInnes, A. W. Hayward, H. W. Braines, T. M. L. Redmond, G. A. Milbank, G. E. R. Divett and G. S. Dunkley, did not bat.	

Fall of wickets 1 (Frost) for 67.  
Bowling Analysis  
O. M. R. W.  
Browning . . . 7 0 28 0  
Dale . . . 4 1 7 0  
Prowse . . . 8 2 38 1  
Hargreaves . . . 6 0 31 0

### TO-DAY'S CRICKET

Graduates To Meet  
C.C.C.

There is only one cricket match scheduled for to-day, the friendly fixture between the Graduates' Association and the Craiggengower Cricket Club, at the Valley.

The Graduates originally intended to enter a team in the Cricket League, but, due to the fact that almost all of their members have played for other Clubs previously, they decided not to do so and are now carrying out an extensive programme of friendly games, most of them taking place on Sundays.

For their match against the Craiggengower Cricket Club to-day they will be represented by:—F. Zimmern (Capt.), G. A. V. Hall, A. H. Rumjahn, S. V. Gittins, J. L. Youngsaye, E. Zimmern, F. R. Zimmern, D. Hunt, W. H. Sling, F. Hipocola and E. A. Lee.

### BRIGHTER CRICKET

Holmes And Human In  
Fine Fettle

Brisbane, Yesterday.  
The M.C.C. touring team, as the result of careful hitting, amassed the formidable total of 436 for 6 to-day.  
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## MR. DE VALERA'S IRELAND

### Hatred Of England His Only Policy

### Completely Incapable Of Constructive Work

(By SENATOR OLIVER ST. J. GOGARTY)

London. WHEN peace broke out momentarily at the pleasant place, paved with good intentions, which is known as the League of Nations, and agreement was reached, Mr. de Valera found himself in the same division lobby as John Bull. This has been regarded by the people of England who still pay any regard to the Irish Free State as significant. If Geneva were significant, Mr. de Valera would be an absentee, just as he was an absentee when the destiny of this country hung in the balance in Downing-street and in Ottawa.

He made what was to have been an important statement on a recent Sunday. The statement was of no importance. It merely assured his supporters in County Clare that his action in lining up Ireland with England was to be regarded as of no more significance than if he lined it up with the Republic of Haiti or the Republic of Panama.

What he did not allude to was the fact that he stated at Geneva that he rejoiced to find himself at the head of a free and independent nation. This tribute to John Bull's grant of independence to the smaller nations associated with Great Britain was most cautiously forgotten.

But some followers of the old Government, now in opposition, are ironically passing resolutions of congratulation to President de Valera with a rider to the effect that it is to be regretted that his appreciation of "this freedom" did not come to him in 1922, when he devastated our country to the tune of £35,000,000 and left many of its sensible people homeless.

**Founded On Ignorance**  
There will be no rapprochement yet with England. Mr. de Valera is utterly and constitutionally incapable of constructive work. He owes his political position in Ireland, first, to staging John Bull as the immortal and immortal enemy of Ireland; secondly to ignorance, due to the lack of education in Ireland, a lack which is bound to become intensified through the policy of making the Gaelic language compulsory in the schools. Soon we shall be bilingual in our ignorance of both languages.

Irish history goes in recurring cycles of ten or twenty years. Mr. de Valera is the only

de Valera thinks in circles. Even were he to patch up a working agreement, he would reconsider it next day.

The trend of Irish politics will always be to the Left—a paralysed crab with the starboard side impotent. The repetition of political history will show his opponents, the I.R.A., the Communists, the Friends of India, etc., coming into the Dail, just as he himself came into it from the mountains.

**Education** is our ever-present need. Wanting it, the people fed on a political presentation of history (of which nearly everyone is totally ignorant) will become more and more resentful and separatist.

**Education Needed**  
Meanwhile, there is no party who can dare—until the frightfulness of the Black and Tan preparation of us for "Dominion Status" is forgotten—to suggest that all parties should water down their demands in order to achieve a United Ireland.

Lloyd George's salient, Ulster, will never come into the Irish Free State until it be met half way. The index of the probability of Anglo-Irish relations improving can be gauged from the feelings existing at any moment between Dublin and Belfast.

By Ulster's absence the Free State is deprived of sensible business men and fed instead on nightmares of a supposed Gaelic culture by its political Draculas.

Already Mr. de Valera has doffed his Geneva graces with the tall hat he wore in Switzerland. He resumes for native edification his black political cap of maintenance.

But there is hope in the increasing tours. Irishmen are taking. Travel is an education that cannot be misconstrued.

If I were Duce or Ras of Dublin, I would mobilise the whole country and send it on a Cook's tour of Europe. At present Irishmen go on pilgrimages to Geneva and Lourdes.

**Anomalies**  
Mr. de Valera did the right thing in the wrong place when he pledged this country to abide by its contract in Geneva. Had he in Ireland stood by the contract made with England to pay the Annuities he would not find himself in the ludicrous position of representing a free and independent country which is the only

member of the League which is suffering from rigorous and ruinous sanctions and at the same time supporting the foreign policy of Great Britain, which imposed them.

But when you play with war to maintain peace there is no knowing what will happen. In the metamorphosing magicians' chamber of Geneva he finds black becoming more important than white, and he himself pledged—if things reach this logical conclusion, which, happily, in politics they never do—to conscript Ireland to fight for English principles.

Lord Craigavon is agitated about this question of possible conscription. Ulster may run away from conscription into the Free State only to find that the Free State is conscripted to fight against the fathers of European civilisation and against the countrymen of the Pope.

The position of any leader is dangerously insecure which depends on the gullibility of his public. An uneducated Ireland may be all the more an Irish Ireland, but it will be all the more liable to stampede and liable to revolution. It must be perfectly evident to our politicians that even when the men who rose in Easter Week and those who took part in the war against the Black and Tans have become ancestral heroes, the supply of political enthusiasm founded on negations of England will give out.

**Way To Understanding**  
Already Mr. de Valera's good behaviour vis-a-vis Europe at Geneva is the most hopeful sign and the strongest argument I can find for Ireland remaining in the Commonwealth. It is necessary if we are not to fall into a backward water shut off from the world, to have the 61 nations who are associated with Great Britain keeping their eyes upon us like so many Skibbereen eagles. This "external association" is the only way by which we will be saved from parochial and uninspired introspection.

Naturally England is nearer than Geneva. A return of trade (unless the present policy of destruction of our trade is a political policy) should bring us to better understanding with our neighbour.

But while patriotism past and present in Ireland consists in enmity with England, only on commercial lines can there be friendlier feelings of give and take.

Strange to say, war, with our troops fighting side by side with those of Great Britain, would do more for an entente cordiale than decades of British toleration will. Only by war may the League of Nations succeed in bringing us peace! But this sounds as if Irish bulls, taxed out of England by sanctions, were lodged in Geneva!

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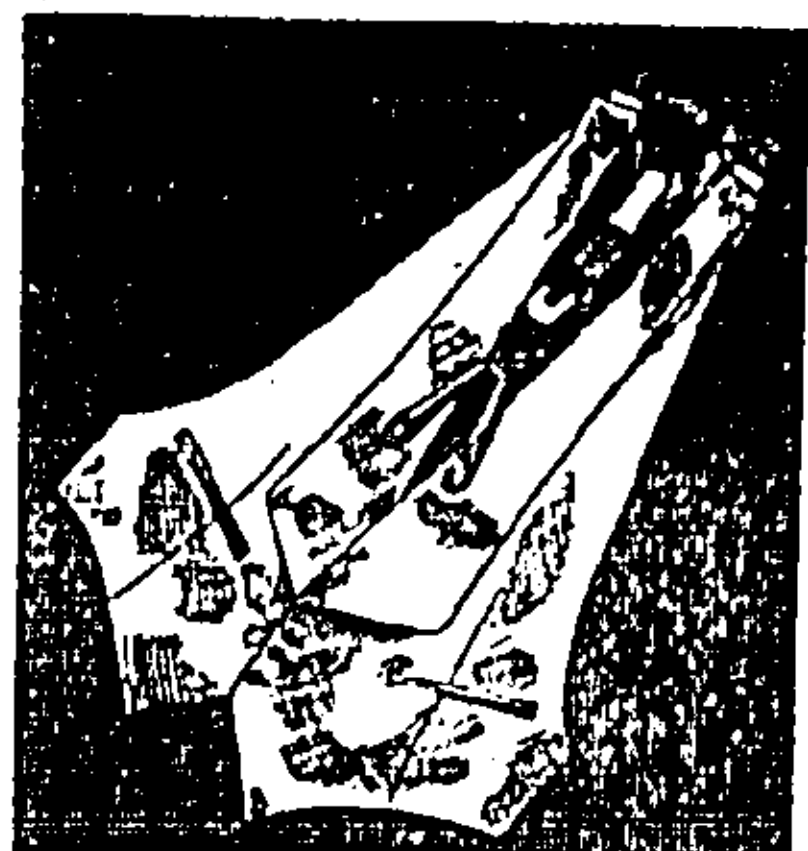
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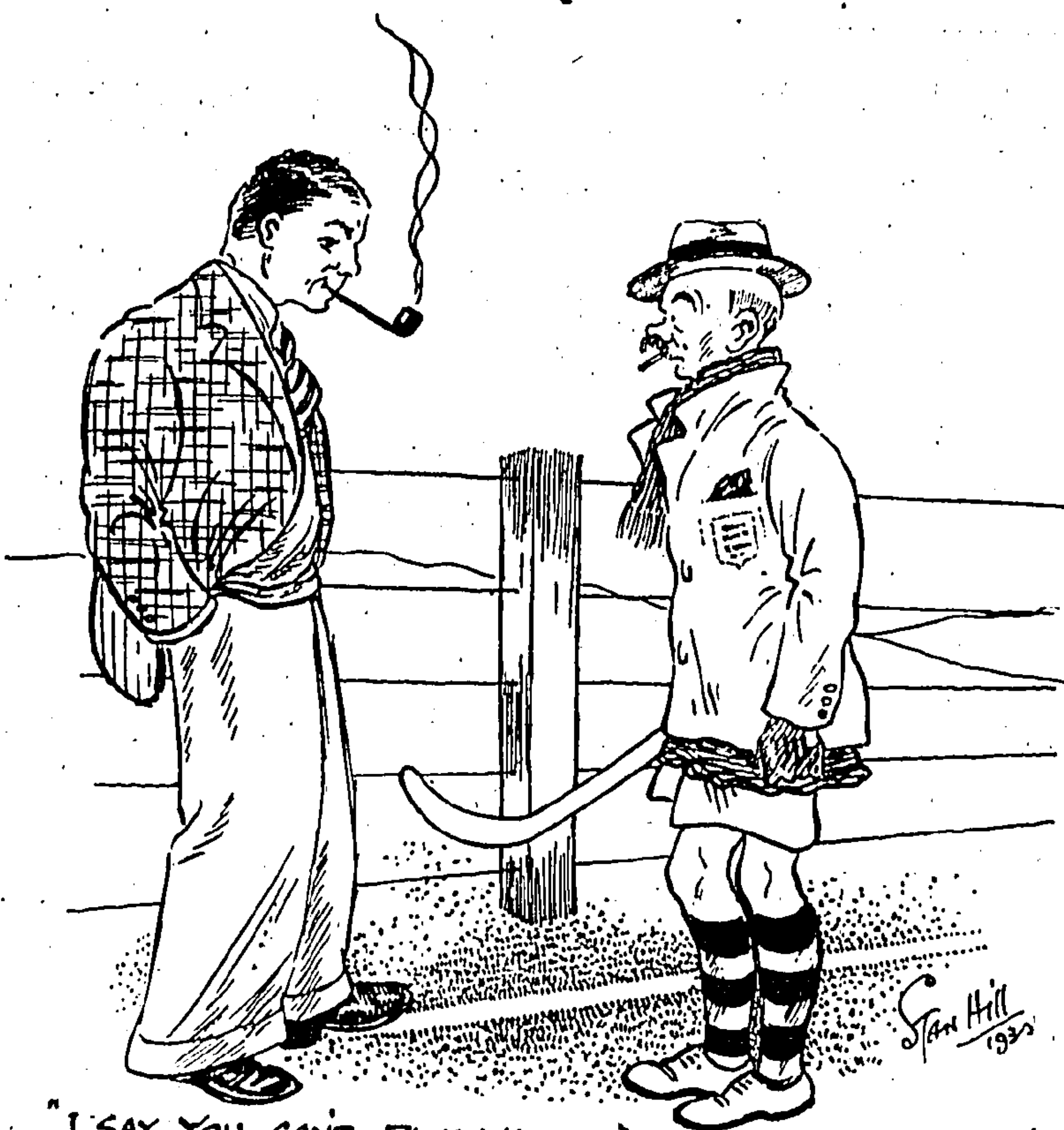
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THE WICKETS

Despite a last wicket stand that realised 58 runs by G. A. Stewart and W. Wooding, the Hong Kong Cricket Club second eleven lost their junior League cricket match to the Royal Navy juniors by 3 wickets on the Club ground yesterday.

H.K.C.C. 2nd XI				
H. J. Armstrong, b Cripps	8			
N. P. Fox, c Bone, Tufnel	19			
D. Carey, b Young	13			
A. K. Mackenzie, c Garwood, b Poe	32			
M. V. Fiennes, c and b Poe	0			
I. S. Forbes, c Cripps, b Poe	0			
J. E. Potter, b Tufnel	0			
R. S. W. Paterson, b Poe	8			
G. A. Stewart, not out	38			
F. A. Dunnott, b Tufnel	0			
W. Wooding, b Tufnel	25			
Extras (B.8; LB.1)	9			
Total	153			

Bowling Analysis				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Tufnel	18.3	4	49	4
Young	7	1	12	1
Cripps	6	1	28	1
Poe	9	0	41	4
Barry	2	0	16	0

## Royal Navy 2nd XI

Garwood, c and b Stewart	0
Mahmaring, c Potter, b Fiennes	10
Bone, c Paterson, b Fiennes	25
Tufnel, c Armstrong, b Carey	26
Poe, c Paterson, b Carey	30
Coe-Smith, lb.w., b Fox	23
Barry, st. Wooding, b Fox	29
Hinde, b Stewart	1
Cripps, not out	2
Rees, lb.w., b Fox	0
Young, not out	0
Extras (B.8; LB.2)	8
Total	154

Bowling Analysis				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Stewart	12	0	49	2
Dunnott	3	0	7	0
Fiennes	5	0	22	2
Fox	8	0	32	3
Carey	4	0	31	2
Mackenzie	1	0	11	0

## HONG KONG LADIES HOLD HOCKEY PRACTICE

The Hong Kong Ladies' Hockey Club held an intra-Club practice match at Sockunpoo yesterday, when Colours beat Whites by the odd goal in five, the latter being

## HOCKEY

## C.B.A. LADIES BEAT "Y" IN CUP MATCH

## Miss Bryson's Sparkling Performance

SPIRITED play by the C.B.A. Ladies, as contrasted with the comparatively lifeless exhibition given by the "Y" Ladies, resulted in the former winning their Caer Clark Cup encounter by the odd goal in five when they met at King's Park yesterday.

## ST. ANDREW'S WIN BY FOUR GOALS

Recreio Ladies  
Outclassed

MISS P. GITTENS SHINES

Superior combination and better stickwork were the factors that contributed to the success of the St. Andrew's Ladies, when they met and defeated the Recreio Ladies by 4 goals to nil in a Caer Clark Cup fixture on the Police Training School ground yesterday afternoon.

Miss M. Churn, although still suffering from the effects of the knock she received last Saturday, turned out for St. Andrew's, and played a sound game. Miss P. Gittens, their captain and centre-forward, was, however, their greatest asset on yesterday's show-ing. Mrs. Rose, their custodian, also played a very fine game. Miss P. Gittens scored twice before the interval and added another during the second half. Miss J. Wong was responsible for the fourth goal.

Recreio:—Miss Z. Barros; Miss C. Oamund and Miss E. Ribeiro; Miss L. Silva-Netto; Miss E. Xavier and Miss M. Alves; Miss C. Botelho; Miss A. Alves; Miss C. Alves; Miss E. Rozario and Miss B. Remedios.  
St. Andrew's:—Mrs. Rose; Miss G. White and Miss J. Wong and Miss M. Churn; Miss F. Wong and Miss M. Churn; Miss F. Wong; Mrs. N. Lee; Miss P. Gittens; Miss J. Booker and Miss I. Gittens.

without their custodian, Mrs. Lunson, Mrs. Harrop (2) and Miss B. Hanco scored for the winners, while Miss B. Helbling and Miss J. Dalziel replied for the losers.

The winners certainly owed a lot to Miss M. Bryson, their pivot, for their victory yesterday, as she gave a sparkling performance throughout, attacking and defending with equal vigour. Miss I. Woolley, the right-half, also showed up very well. In the forward line Mrs. M. White and Miss M. Smith were outstanding, combining very effectively.

The "Y" were completely out of gear yesterday, their forwards having lost much of their dash and sparkle, including Miss O. Dalziel and Miss Fowler, while both backs were hitting too wildly. Miss J. Weller, who returned from home last week, played in goal for the "Y" but was not an improvement on Miss George.

Mrs. White opened the score for the C.B.A. during the first half and Miss Smith added another shortly afterwards. After a scramble round the goalmouth Miss Adey succeeded in beating Miss Best with a well-timed scoop shot. Miss O. Dalziel equalised immediately afterwards, and Mrs. White netted the winning goal during the second half.

"Y" Ladies:—Miss J. Weller; Mrs. Read and Miss P. McCaw; Mrs. Brown, Miss E. Thomson and Mrs. Henry; Miss O. Dalziel, Miss S. Dalziel, Miss J. Adey, Miss A. Fowler and Miss M. Westcott.  
C.B.A. Ladies:—Miss F. Best; Miss P. Woolley and Miss F. K. Walker; Miss I. Woolley, Miss H. Bryson and Miss P. Everest; Miss R. Blackmore, Miss M. Smith, Mrs. M. White, Miss D. Hunt and Miss E. Rousseau.

## H.K.S.R.A. BEAT "Y" IN GAME OF 11 GOALS

In a friendly hockey match at King's Park yesterday the H.K.S.R.A. beat the Y.M.C.A. by 7 goals to 4. W. Brown netted three goals for the "Y" who secured the

## MAMAK HOCKEY CHAMPIONS ON VIEW TO-DAY

MEET RUNNERS-UP  
IN "A" DIVISION

TWO JUNIOR GAMES  
FEATURED

Probably one of the best hockey games in the "A" Division of the Mamak Hockey tournament will be played to-day, when the Kowloon Indians' Tennis Club, the champions, meet the Royal Engineers, last season's runners-up. Both these teams were undefeated last year, though the Engineers were forced to share the spoils in more games than their opponents. As they have most of last year's players available, they should fully extend the Indians.

## Two Junior Fixtures

Two games will be played in the "B" Division, and both should provide interesting hockey.

The newly-formed Nomads will encounter the Engineers, while the Central British Association will clash with the 12th Battery, Royal Artillery.

The following are some of the teams:—

## "A" DIVISION

Engineers:—Dudley; Quantrell and Hunt; McGahn, Brown and Capt. Foley; Lieut. Hamilton, Woolgar, Collins Winkfield and Corner.

K. I. T. C.:—Ramzan; Karnall Singh (Captain) and Kishan Singh; J. Noronha, Tara Singh and J. Pereira; D. Noronha, A. Khan, Awatar Singh, J. Pinto and A. P. Souza.

## "B" DIVISION

Nomads:—C. Soares; A. Eca Silva and F. G. Barros; A. Xavier; R. J. Reed and S. Souza; R. Silva; S. Reed, R. C. Reed, F. Reed and J. Francisco.

Reserve:—L. Souza.  
Engineers:—Whittaker; Swanson and Piper; Azo, Ray and Furt; McCaffery, Budden, Brown, Jordan and Revell.

The following are to-day's fixtures:—

## "A" DIVISION

Radio v Argonauta (Caroline Hill, 3 p.m.)  
K.I.T.C. v R. Engineers (Marina, 4.15 p.m.)

## "B" DIVISION

Nomads v R. Engineers (Marina, 3 p.m.)  
C.B.A. v 12th Bty. R. A. (C.B.A., King's Pk. 4 p.m.)

## MAMAK HOCKEY CLASH TO-DAY

Argonauta and Radio  
To Meet

A very interesting hockey game should be witnessed at Caroline Hill to-day when the Radio Sports Club will encounter a strong Argonauta side in the "A" division of the Mamak Hockey Tournament, starting at 3 p.m.

The Radio are fielding their best team. Gurbaachan Singh, who was to have played soccer for the Saints, will lead the forwards, while Man Singh will keep goal in place of U. B. Souza, who has not completely recovered from his recent injury.

The Argonauta are also making some changes, E. Alves coming in at back for A. Pinna, who is unavailable, and A. Angelo on the left-wing for P. Xavier, who is suffering from an ankle injury.

Radio:—Man Singh; A. E. P. Gueit and J. S. Groual; L. B. Kitchell, M. H. Hassan and Jagjee Singh; Surin Singh, Samrat Singh, Gurbaachan Singh, Kalwant Singh and F. A. Kemp.

Argonauta:—N. Farla; A. A. Dos Remedios and E. Alves; A. Silva, J. Goncalves and T. Alves; F. Nolasco, B. Gosano, A. M. Xavier, A. S. Xavier and A. Angelo.

## C.B.S. BEAT C.B.A.

Miss Martin Scores  
Four Goals

The Central British Schoolgirls removed any doubt concerning their superiority over the C.B.A. juniors when they defeated them by 7 goals to 1 in their Brann Cup encounter at King's Park yesterday afternoon.

Miss A. Martin was in fine form and netted four goals—two in each half. Miss M. Booker contributed two, while Miss J. Lakeman accounted for the other. Miss E. Woolley was the C.B.A.'s scorer.

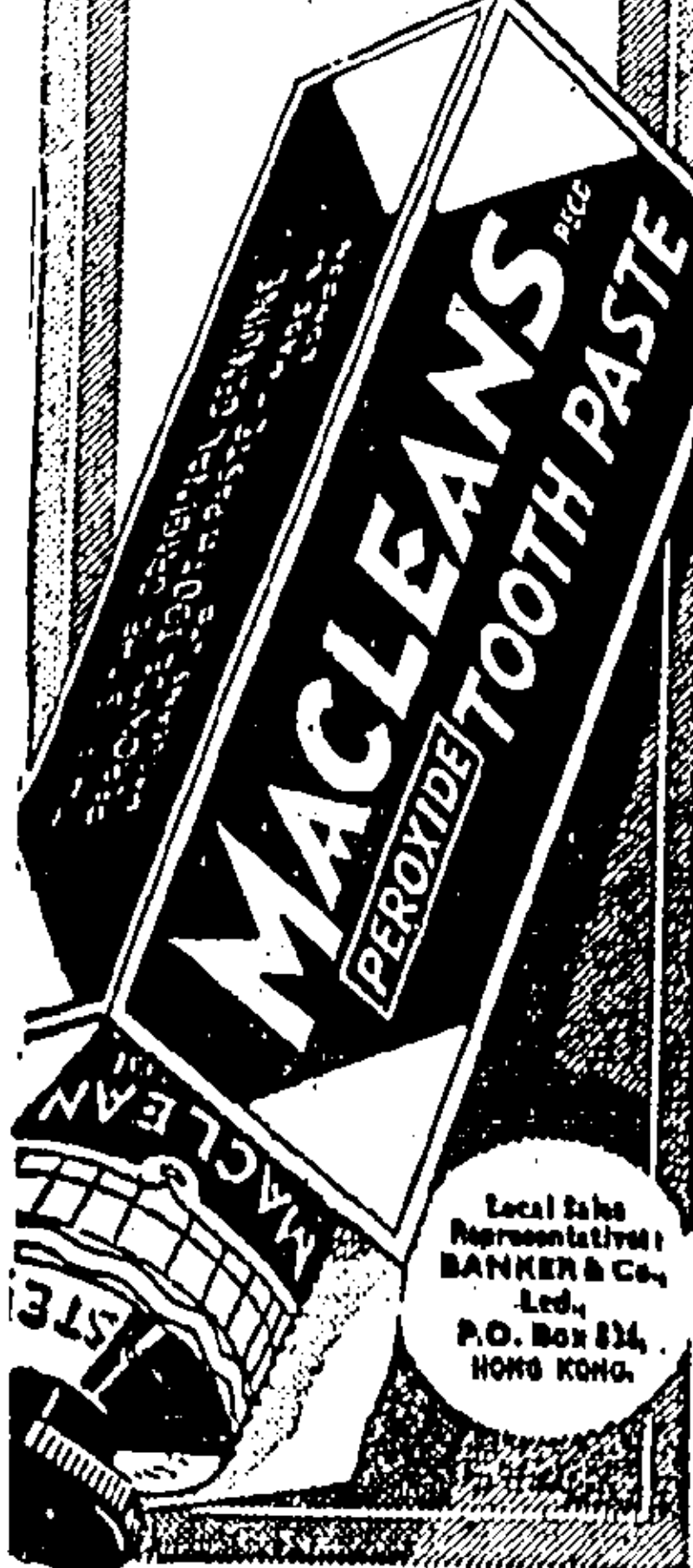
other from a penalty bully. Alam Shan scored four for the H.K.S.R.A., while Tara Singh, Khuda Bux and N. K. Khuda Bux all scored one each. The score at half-time was 3 goals to 1 in favour of the ultimate winners.



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## EARLY MORNING WEDDING

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ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH CEREMONY

A very pretty wedding was solemnised yesterday morning at 8.30 o'clock at St. Margaret's Church, Broadwood Road, the Rev. Fr. Pius officiating, between Mr. Hugh Nicholas Moran, of Police Headquarters, eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Moran of Gloucester and Liverpool, and Miss Iris Mary Phelps, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. T. Phelps, of No. 50c Wongnei-chong Road.

The bride, who was given away by her father, looked charming in a wedding dress of white angel's skin silk lace, surmounted with a wreath of orange blossoms and an embroidered veil kindly lent by a friend. She carried a prayerbook bound in white kid, presented by the bridegroom, and was attended by her elder sister, Miss Madeline Frances Phelps, as bridesmaid, dressed in powder-blue silk net, with hat and shoes to match. The bride's mother wore a smart brown georgette frock and the duties of best man were efficiently performed by Mr. A. W. Hircock.

The wedding was followed by a reception held at the bride's home. The happy couple are to spend their honeymoon in England, leaving by the s.s. Corfu. The bride's going-away dress was a powder-blue tweed suit, trimmed in Russian style with grey squirrel fur, with hat and shoes to match.

Mr. and Mrs. Moran were the recipients of a large number of presents, the bride's gift to the groom being a set of dress studs and buttons, while the groom's gift to the bride was a dressing table set in silver and enamel.

## STREET SLEEPERS' SOCIETY

Urgent Need For Donations

Crowds of homeless and unemployed are expected to flock to the Street Sleepers' Shelter at the old St. Peter's Church to-night, when the shelter will be officially opened by the Street Sleepers' Association. The shelter in Po Yan Street, which was scheduled to be thrown open to-night, is at present

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A foreigner instructing children in Addis Ababa in the use of gas masks, which may be necessary when the Italians attack the capital. But at present there are not enough to go around.

## LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

A collection in aid of the Fund for the National Society for the Protection of Children will be taken at the Peak School Prize-giving Entertainment on Friday next.

The Director of Education will preside at the annual prize distribution of La Salle College, on Saturday next at 4 p.m., when Mrs. G. R. Sayer will give away the prizes.

A song and piano recital will be given by Mrs. Anderson Miller and Lt. Col. C. H. Kuhne at the Helena May Institute on Thursday next at 6.30 p.m. Teas should be booked in advance; phone 22160.

With the approach of the cold weather, warm clothing is urgently needed for the children in the Salvation Army Girls' Home, No. 2, Embankment Road, Kowloon. The Officer in charge will be grateful for parcels of old clothing of warm materials—whether European or Chinese. Any kind of clothing will be acceptable, as it can be cut down and remade for children's garments.

The following unclaimed telegrams are lying at the Government Radio Office:—Winblow, from Shanghai; Nai Shiehcheng Tock-heng-chuang, Nampak Street, from Bangkok; Yih Fianho, from Shanghai; and Lieklemiang, Passenger Tjlsdane, from Shanghai.

Mr. A. A. R. Botelho, the well-known local jockey, called for the North yesterday by the Dollar Line s.s. President Coolidge.

The R.M.S. Empress of Russia, for Shanghai, Hong Kong and Manila, is due in Nagasaki at 6 a.m. to-day, leaving again for Shanghai at 1 p.m.

A Christmas supper for members of the local St. David's Society is being held on December 23, at the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home. The Society's guests will be Welsh servicemen introduced by members.

Chan Hoi, aged 61, appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, charged with stealing, by means of a trick, a gold finger ring valued at \$7 from Yip Kan, aged 30, married woman, at Castle Peak Road on Thursday, November 28. The defendant pleaded guilty and was sentenced to six months' hard labour, it being stated that he has had three previous convictions for the same offence.

undergoing fumigating and will not be available for the homeless until Wednesday night.

According to Miss Mow Fung, Honorary Secretary of the Association, negotiations have already been established for the shelter on the mainland, but nothing definite has yet resulted.

Miss Mow Fung stated yesterday that the public has made a poor response to the urgent appeal for donations for the up-keep of the shelters. Great difficulty will be experienced if donations are not forthcoming soon.

There will be a tea dance to-day at the Repulse Bay Hotel. A special half-hourly bus service will operate during the afternoon.

Leung Fuk was removed to the Kowloon Hospital in a serious condition as the result of falling into the hold of junk No. 329H at Holt's Wharf on Friday.

The Street Sleepers' Shelters open to-day for the winter season.

The Revs. J. D. MacLean and K. Mackenzie Dow to-day begin their ministry at the Kowloon Union Church and the Hong Kong Union Church respectively.

A whist drive and tombola are being held at the R.A. Sergeants' Mess, Gun Club Hill, Kowloon, at 8.45 p.m. to-day.

A Services Dance is announced to take place at 9 p.m. to-morrow at the European Y.M.C.A.

A first discussion of the Sanctions question, by the local League of Nations Society, will take place to-morrow, beginning at 8.30 p.m. in the Board Room of the H.K. Chamber of Commerce.

There will be a sale of roses in the streets to-morrow for the benefit of the poor of Hong Kong.

A tombola will be held on board H.M.S. Tamar at 7.15 p.m. to-morrow.

The R. E. Old Comrades' Association are holding an open-air whist drive and tombola, weather permitting, at 8.30 p.m. to-morrow at Wellington Barracks.

Chau Sun, aged 55, a coolie working at the Hume Pipe Manufacturing Company, was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital on Friday suffering from crushed fingers, sustained when he was removing two iron pipes at the above factory.

Four cases of diphtheria, two of enteric fever (one imported) and one of cerebro-spinal fever were reported to the Health authorities in the 24 hours ended on Friday.

Appearing before Mr. Wynne-Jones yesterday on a charge of having stowed away from Sandakan to Hong Kong on board the s.s. Hin Sang, two Chinese, Lee Hung and Tse Kam-sang, were each fined \$25, in default one month's imprisonment.

It is notified in the Government Gazette that the names of the following companies will be struck off the Register at the expiration of three months, unless cause is shown to the contrary:—The Wai Fung Quarry and Mining Co., Ltd., the Hong Kong Timber Merchants' Guild Co., Ltd., and the Yee Fong Chan Co., Ltd.

An At Home and Games afternoon will be held in the West Lounge of the European Young Men's Christian Association, Kowloon, under the auspices of the Ladies' Section, commencing at 3.30 p.m. on Wednesday next.

Mr. A. Gabeur, of No. 36 Village Road, reports that while driving car No. 2652 in Queen's Road East on Friday he knocked down a Chinese female, Fan Ho, of No. 66 Bridges Street, who was taken to the Government Civil Hospital.

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### Well-Known Artists

On December 5 at the Helena May Institute (6.30 p.m.), the third concert of the season will be shared by Mrs. Anderson Miller (soprano), and Lt. Col. C. H. Kuhne (pianoforte). As a pair, these artists are better known to wireless listeners, as, extending over a period of two years, Mrs. Anderson Miller has given a most interesting series of "Studies of Great Composers." With songs drawn from an extensive repertoire, she has taken Early English, Classical, Romantic, National and Contemporary Composers in turn. In this series, she has been artistically accompanied and supported by Lt. Col. C. H. Kuhne. The two will now give a joint recital in public, and have arranged a programme which will exemplify all these various styles. In building a programme of this description, it is naturally difficult to know what to leave out, as so much beautiful music claims admission. Considerable pains have, however, been taken to provide items grouped and contrasted as artistically as the short time will allow.

### An Arne Setting

Mrs. Anderson Miller will begin the recital with a recent arrangement of one of Arne's songs, "O, Peace, thou fairest child of Heaven," and then will follow the beautiful aria from Bach's Cantata No. 152, "Stone beyond all jewels shining." Her second group will include Schumann's "Er, der Herrliche von Allen"—perhaps the greatest song he ever wrote—and Brahms's "Meine Liebe ist grün." French, German and Russian composers will be exemplified in the next group, by songs of Debussy, Marx Medner, etc. A group of representative modern and contemporary composers will follow, in which an item of interest will be Delius' "Lullaby for a Modern Infant"—a piece composed for piano with wordless melody. The singer will conclude the programme with Frederick Austin's jolly arrangement of "The Twelve Days of Christmas."

### Piano Solos

Besides undertaking the arduous task of accompanying this recital, Lt. Col. C. H. Kuhne, between the groups of songs, will contribute various pianoforte items. Bach, Schumann, Scriabine and other composers will be represented. He will also play two Intermezzi of Brahms and will conclude the first half of the programme with Beethoven's "Sonata quasi una Fantasia" (commonly known as the "Moonlight" Sonata).

Representing as it does, so many different schools of musical composition, the programme, it is hoped, will please all tastes, and receive well-merited support. It is learned with pleasure that Lady Southern O. B. E. has graciously expressed her intention of being present.—Contributed.

The Government Gazette notifies that the following companies have been struck off the Register:—The Peninsular Dock Co., Ltd., and the Associated Advertisers, Ltd.

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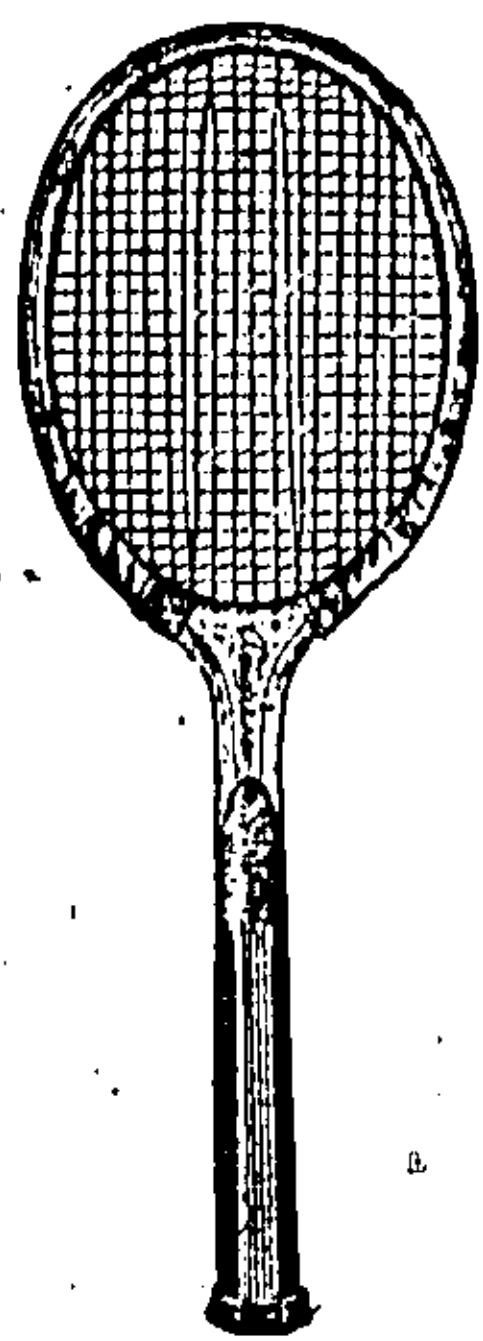
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IN the course of years, partly by legal decisions and partly by experience, the world has succeeded in developing a code of maritime law which has given general satisfaction. But it has been a long process, and has been arrived at only by the abandonment of claims to special privileges, and the extension of equal rights to all ships. The foundation of the English maritime trade was no doubt due to the old navigation laws, which required that goods sent to England should be carried in English bottoms, and it is a fact that is usually forgotten that they were the creation of Oliver Cromwell, who, with the help of the great Admiral Blake, established at the same time the command of the sea by reforms of the Navy that were after the Restoration allowed to lapse by the negligence of the restored monarchy. Cromwell belonged to the well-to-do farmer class that lived by exporting wool to the Continent, where the weaving industry founded on that trade made the prosperity of many beautiful and prosperous towns like Bruges. Later on the Huguenots and other refugees brought the trade of manufacturing woollen cloth to England, and with it great additional wealth.

Transport is a business that employs more men in centres like London than any other single industry, and the laws that govern its economy are practically the same whether it be by road, rail, or air. The navigation of the "narrow seas" never got rid of controversy and conflict so long as the British ships demanded the observance of the old custom of "dipping the flag," and industry never came into its own until foreign ships were allowed to bring their cargoes into port on the same conditions as our own ships, however much that principle may have seemed to be giving away trade that might be paying dues to our own shipowners. For the hospitality led to reciprocal treatment of our ships in foreign ports, which could not be demanded except on a basis of equal rights, and cheap freights increased the opportunities of importing and exporting, as well as leading to a more or less steady market.

There remains the old argument about the nurture of "infant industries," which even in Adam Smith's view justified the grant of privileges until an industry had got itself fairly started. Air transport is perhaps still in that stage, for the improvements both of construction and knowledge of air conditions at present make expensive machines obsolete in a very short time. It will not be long before that stage is over, and different types will have become established as the best for particular purposes. There is very little doubt that in a few years all mail matter will go by air as a mere matter of routine, and that the passenger service will be vastly increased. A few accidents like the unfortunate loss of Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith create the impression that air travel is still unsafe, but the Imperial Airways statistics of miles flown and passengers carried are most reassuring to the nervous. Travel by air will become the rule for long distances, and what seems even now an experimental flight will be taken as a matter of course.

Only the records that show that men are unwilling to learn from the past make one hesitate to take for granted that the same principles that made shipping prosper until Customs barriers were aimed at its prosperity with only too deadly an aim will survive. Even the small nations will not be content to have no air-fleet at all, and there is no reason why they should be. The cost of subsidising transport in order to run competitors off the field is an unfair tax on the community, and only leads to retaliation. The ports used by the transport will only flourish by encouraging all comers through extending to them all equal treatment and moderate charges. To avoid constant bickering an international practice has to be developed, based on equality and reciprocity.

We might save much future ill-will and cut-throat competition if these principles could be recognised in respect of the air, and brought into action at once, and we have the League of Nations machinery at hand. That organisation should have begun with economic and trade questions, and gradually extended its scope. The useful activity of making a code for air travel and dromes and wireless direction is at present checked by the ambitious proposal of an international air force, which is Utopian.

## Hong Kong Personalities



Mr. S. H. DODWELL

This is the seventieth of the exclusive series of sketches of leading Colony residents by Mr. A. S. Konyo, the talented Hungarian artist.

OUR Personality this week is Mr. Stanley Hudson Dodwell, Managing Director of the firm of Dodwell and Co., Ltd. Born at Oxford on May 27, 1878, Mr. Dodwell received his education partly in his native town and subsequently in France and Germany. In 1897 he joined the firm of Dodwell, Carilli and Co., London, which afterwards became Dodwell and Co., Ltd. Mr. Dodwell first came to Hong Kong in 1912, remaining here for some eight years. In 1920 he returned to London and was shortly afterwards appointed Managing Director of the firm.

Between 1920 and 1932 he made three trips to the Far East and round the world, inspecting the firm's branches in Ceylon, China, Japan, the Pacific coast of America and New York. Then, owing to the death in 1934 of the firm's manager in Hong Kong, Mr. J. P. Warren, he decided to stay in the Colony for a few years.

During his first spell in Hong Kong Mr. Dodwell was for two years a member of the Legislative Council and for one year Chairman of the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce.

At the present moment he is Chairman of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, the Union Insurance Society of Canton, the Dairy Farm, Ice and Cold Storage Co. and the Hong Kong Brewers and Distillers, and a Director of several other local companies; also Vice-Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce. In the field of sport Mr. Dodwell was at one time a keen cricketer, but afterwards gave it up, finding it rather too strenuous a game for him in a tropical climate, and has since devoted himself to golf as his principal recreation. He was one of the pioneers of the Fanning course of the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club. He has the unique distinction of having been three times captain of the Club. He has also three times been runner-up in the championship, but never succeeded in winning it. He was also a fairly useful tennis-player and recalls that he and Nesbitt were the first British pair to succumb to the local Chinese pair, Ng Sze-kwong and his partner, in 1918.

### "HERALD" CALENDAR

- December 2, 1922.—Public meeting in Hong Kong approved of new club for joint use of civilians and service men, under Y.M.C.A. management.  
December 3, 1952.—St. Francis Xavier died.  
December 4, 1841.—First census of Hong Kong taken.  
December 5, 1842.—The Japanese warship Unsei left Singapore and was never heard of again.  
December 7, 1920.—Foundation stone of the Club Lusitano, Hong Kong, was laid by the Governor of Macao.

### TO-DAY'S QUOTATION

The one who will be found in trial capable of great acts of love is ever the one who is always doing considerable small ones.  
—F. W. ROBERTSON.

## BEAUTIFUL FROCKS ON PARADE

### CHARMING CREATIONS AT FRIDAY'S BALL

#### YOUNGER SET RISES TO OCCASION

(By a Special Representative)

ALTHOUGH no particular trend was noticeable in the dresses worn by the women who thronged the Rose Room and Green Room at the Peninsula Hotel on Friday night, where St. Andrew's Ball—the most brilliant social function of the local season—was in progress, they had one thing in common at least; they were all very beautiful.

Similarly there was no predominating colour, as nearly every hue and every shade was exploited. In some frocks the latest American vogue—shorter, and low at the front—was discernable, but perhaps the most distinctive style of all was the sari—the Parsee women's national dress—which was worn to advantage by at least half-a-dozen ladies I saw. A striking contrast was achieved between the English and Chinese styles by the presence of Mrs. S. W. T'ao and Mrs. M. K. Lo.

The wife of the Chieftain of the St. Andrew's Society, Mrs. J. C. Macgown, wore white surmounted by a plaid of Clan Graham of Claverhouse tartan. Lady Southorn looked charming in a flowing taffeta ensemble, of characteristic cut, while Lady Macgregor favoured black.

Lady Dreyer and Mrs. Sedg-

### LONG TEACHING CAREER

#### Retiring Schoolmaster Honoured

#### MR. NG ENTERTAINED BY HIS OLD SCHOOL

Yesterday morning the staff and students of Queen's College were assembled in the Hall to give a cordial farewell to Mr. Ng Fung Chau on his retirement on pension from Government service.

Mr. Ng was born in 1879 and is therefore 56 years of age. After a few years at a vernacular school Mr. Ng began his "English" education in 1893 in the old Saiyungpun District School. He was promoted to Queen's College in 1896 and after a distinguished career as a pupil there from Class 4 to class 1, was appointed an assistant master in the Education Department of Hong Kong in February 1899 i.e. almost 37 years ago.

Many Distinctions  
While at Queen's Mr. Ng won the coveted Junior Morrison Scholarship and subsequently, while actively engaged in teaching, gained many certificates in the South Kensington Examination and at the Hong Kong Technical Institute. From 1899 until the time of his retirement Mr. Ng has taught Chinese boys in practically all the Government Schools of Hong Kong—Saiyungpun, Yau-mat, Wantai, Ellis Kadoorie, and since 1924 at Queen's College.

Since 1922 he has been the Supervisor of the Vernacular Teachers' Classes at the Technical Institute. Mr. Ng has been the senior Anglo-Chinese master in the Education Department for almost 20 years.

After speeches by the Headmaster and Mr. Ng the prefects presented him, on behalf of their fellow-students, with two framed portraits. The staff of the College also presented him with some embroidered robes. Then, after calling for three cheers for Mr. Ng, the assembly dispersed.

### Overheard

The Working Day  
"Technological advance is making a shorter and shorter working day and working week inevitable."

Brown, Jones, Smith, Etc.  
"Those who would measure confidence in this country in the future must look first to the average citizen."—Franklin D. Roosevelt.

The Constitution?  
"The Government must do what we expect of it or it must be changed so that it will."—Roxford G. Tugwell.

wick looked exceedingly attractive in beautiful gowns.

#### Good Taste

Hong Kong girls have nothing to learn from their sisters in other places, when it comes to the question of good taste in clothes. Each frock I saw had something distinctively attractive, and the majority of them, I know, were made and designed locally. Even if it serves no other purpose St. Andrew's Ball is an excellent advertisement for local dress-makers.

The younger set turned out in full force on Friday night and presented a glorious array of beautiful gowns of every cut and colour. There also appeared to be quite a few non-residents among them, probably from the Corfu, homebound bound.

Elsie Lammert chose navy taffeta with a white lace collar and Audrey Steel looked anything but "principal boyish" in white satin.

Barbara Hanco had on a delightful gown of crimson velvet and appeared to be in the same party as her sister, Heather, who was wearing a flowered dress. Rosamund Hancock looked very sophisticated in suede crepe, while Constance Crapnell had on a very beautiful dress of a material which I have not seen on a local dance floor hitherto, and for which "spangled" flame seems to be the most descriptive term.

Ena Dunnett favoured dark green satin with a gold lame collar, while Beryl and Betty Fair wore green and red, respectively.

#### The "First Timers"

"Girle" Glendinning looked lovely in white crepe and Cathie Ferguson chose blue suede. Mrs. Hills selected Marina blue.

Among the "first timers" were Mrs. Maclean and Mrs. Mackenzie Dow, the wives of the two new Union Church Ministers. Mrs. Maclean had on flowered nylon.

Among the others who caught the eye were Miss S. Jeffries, whose engagement was announced recently, Miss E. Thomson, Miss O. Dalziel, Miss A. Fowler, Miss J. Beavis, Miss Isa Lammert, Miss Ann Evans, and another newcomer, Miss Joan Smith, Mrs. Sweeney, Mrs. H. H. Scott, Mrs. J. McKelvie, Mrs. E. J. R. Mitchell, who returned to the Colony during the week, Miss J. Dowling, Mrs. W. F. Murray, Mrs. N. Watson, Mrs. S. Thomson, Mrs. A. W. Ingram, Mrs. W. F. G. Harris, and Mrs. S. H. Garrod.

#### FIVE YEARS AGO

(Extracts from the Sunday Herald of November 30, 1930).

Nationalist II, was yesterday beaten by Sitting Bull, the Dunbar entry, in the St. Andrew's Stakes, over 1½ miles. Mr. Johnnie Heard was the winning jockey.

The Civilians beat the Royal Navy by 5 goals to 2 in the First Round of the Lai Wah Cup soccer competition. A. V. Goosano (4) and Sagelan, for the Civilians, and Cartwright and Stevenson, for the Navy, were the goal-scorers.

By beating the Royal Corps of Signals by 9 wickets in the Second Division of the Cricket League the Indian Recreation Club registered their sixth successive win of the season.

Stoker Percy Lake won the lightweight boxing championship of the Colony when he beat Seaman Dobson at the Theatre Royal after 15 rounds of clean and clever boxing.

A daring armed robbery in broad daylight occurred in the heart of the town when 10 men entered the Tung Yee-long seamen's boarding house in Queen's Road Central, held up the manager, rifled the safe and decamped with money and personal belongings to the value of over \$1,000.



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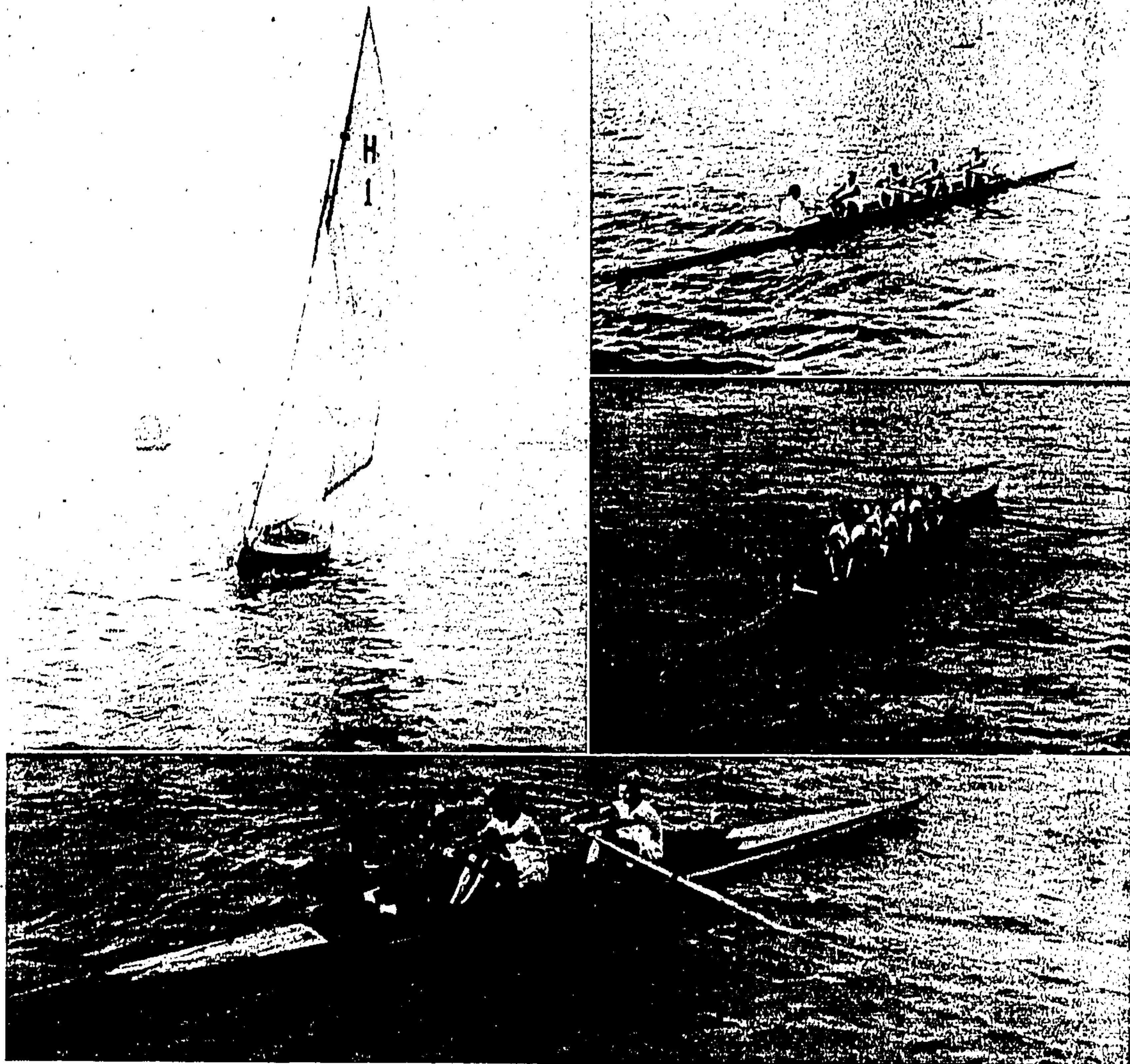
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(Top left)—Diana, which was second in the "H" Class event; (top right) The V.R.C. Senior Four who lost by a narrow margin; (bottom right) The Yacht Club Senior Four, winners; (bottom) The Yacht Club Senior Pair, winners by three-quarters of a length.

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Once daily the Beguines go through the ritual of the "Stations of the Cross," making the rounds of the fourteen pictures symbolical of the Saviour's passion and death.

Ghent, Belgium.

THE Convent of the Beguines in the town of St. Amundsberg, a few miles from this city, houses a thousand devout, self-sacrificing, hard-working nuns. These sisters of mercy lead the simplest of lives. They sleep in cell-like rooms and spend a good part of each day in prayer—but they have taken no vows forever marrying them to the Church; they can own property and, if they want to, they can return to the world and marry.

Among these thousand nuns there are women from almost every walk and station of life—peasants from farms and daughters of nobility who, for one reason or another, consecrated their lives to the service of their fellow men. Other convents of the order are established in Louvain, Bruges and Mechelen. Each of these convents is entirely independent of the other and is headed by a Mother Superior.

## Few Withdraw

It might seem that the absence of vows would bring about a certain loss in membership, and that the nuns, being human, might sometimes change their minds and return to the world. But, despite the fact that they are free to do this, very few Beguines have left the convent once they took the veil.

The interesting history of the order goes back to the 12th century, when many women in the Netherlands banded together and devoted their lives to good works. Perhaps, because they were not bound to any Church, they did not think it necessary to take vows. Anyway it was a simple matter to join the order and just as simple to quit it.

In the early days of the Beguines the vowless nuns gathered in colonies on the outskirts of towns. They provided food for the hungry, medicine, and nursing for the ailing and shel-

## But Take No Vows

ter for the homeless. They worked in the fields, kept cattle, wove cloth. In many ways they served the people of the 12th century as the Red Cross serves people to-day.

## Holy Wars

As time went on the Beguines formed larger communities. Sometimes two or more convents, each of them independent units, would merge and do their good deeds under the direction of one Mother Superior.

In the 15th century there was an outbreak of holy wars and, for some reason, the "Beguines," as the convents of the vowless nuns were called then, were looked upon as something

spent at sewing. The work of the convent is divided among the members, some of whom prepare the meals for the entire community under the direction of a housekeeper, who is answerable to the Mother Superior.

Perhaps one of the strangest customs of the Beguines is the saying of prayers by lottery. On the walls about the convent there are small wooden boxes filled with cards bearing different numbers. Hung above the box is a framed list of different prayers, each one numbered. Every day each nun draws a card out of one of the lottery boxes and repeats whatever prayer corresponds to the number on the card.



On the raised dais in the living room of the Convent, the Mother Superior presides, while in absolute silence the "nuns" work at their sewing. Though they may leave and marry at any time, few of the women ever give up their religious life.



One of the Beguines of Ghent, who has passed her ninetieth birthday, but she is not yet too old to cease her daily labour of making fine lace.

to be put out of business. Many of them were destroyed and the women in them scattered, but a few managed to survive and it is from these few that the present institutions sprang, at least, by example and inspiration.

Life in a Beguine convent is not much different from the routine in convents in which the sisters are required to take sacred vows to stay in the service of the Church so long as they live. The nuns rise at an early hour, spend a certain time at their devotions before they eat their simple breakfast and begin the day's work.

## Prayers By Lottery

As one of the pictures on this page shows, the Mother Superior is firm in her discipline, and she sits on a dais to maintain order and silence during the hours



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## Incidence

### Ladies' Night At The "Y"

THE first Ladies' Night at the Y.M.C.A., held on November 21, was an unqualified success, the dinner and the concert that followed being well up to the required standard. Two ladies who contributed in no small measure to the success of the concert made their first appearances at these popular functions.

Miss Prue Lewis, who delighted with several exquisite violin solos, appeared in a beautiful wine velvet evening gown, a most attractive feature of the dress being the very wide sleeves, while Mrs. Lewis, who accompanied her daughter, looked charming in black and white georgette. Mrs. Marsh, the other artiste, wore dainty flowered organdie, finished off with a frilly cape of the same material.

Mrs. A. W. Ingram's ensemble of powder blue lace was very chic, while Miss Ingram looked very sweet in pastel shaded nylon. Among the guests were Mrs. F. Short, who recently returned from Home, in a most attractive warm blue velvet. Miss C. Mitchell, whose engagement has just been announced, wore crepe-de-chine patterned in autumn tints, while Mrs. Mitchell looked becoming in pretty floured green.

Mrs. W. Murray and Mrs. A. McKenzie both looked charming in delightful georgettes, while Mrs. Powell appeared in a gay flowered material. Mrs. R. Morrison's rich brown lace was a decidedly reasonable contrast.

### Mabel Carlyle Here To Stay

AN interesting new arrival to the Colony is Mabel B. Carlyle, who has come to manage Malsie's Gown Salon. She has just arrived from Manila, where she enjoyed a short stay, but she has lived in various parts of the Orient for a number of years now. Leaving America, she was connected with Liberty House in Honolulu and later worked on the China Press in Shanghai for some two and a half years.

Mabel Carlyle is very taken with Hong Kong. "I like it very much and I'm here to stay," she declares. Good resolution! Incidentally she is this week's new member of the Women's International Club.

### Gift For St. Paul's G. S.

ST. Paul's Girls' School has some happy news to relate. An American woman, Mrs. Reilly, was out here a little while back and was greatly interested in the school and all the work that Dr. Katie Woo was doing there. Going back to America she did not forget what she had seen. Now Mrs. Reilly, who was a wealthy woman, has just died, and it is found that she has left a substantial grant to the school. What is more, she has left her own library, which was a particularly fine one, to Dr. Katie Woo herself. Dr. Woo is of course very happy about it, and indeed we are all glad to hear that such great interest is taken by private people in her work.

### Thanksgiving Day In Colony

ALTHOUGH there was no big celebration on the American Thanksgiving Day last Thursday, private parties were given in almost all the American homes and there was the traditional enjoyment of pump-

kin pie and cranberry sauce! No bachelor is ever left alone on that evening, so all were happily occupied. Quite a section of our local American community spent this day on the water. The arrival of the President Grant, bringing them home on December 19, is much looked forward to.

Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Sommers, who enjoyed their wedding anniversary on Thanksgiving Day!

MISS Katie Woo gave a small dinner party last Friday night which was very jolly and a great success. Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. Simon, Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Sommers, and Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Woo.



Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Groome (formerly Miss A. V. Hayward) photographed after their wedding at St. John's Cathedral.

hospitable and friendly manner with which he was received in Canton. He was especially touched by the courtesy shown to him by the Canton officials in placing at his disposal the special coach by which he travelled to Canton.

Dr. Trautmann has had a distinguished career as a diplomat and his Legation was the first to be raised to the rank of Embassy in China. Before the war he saw service in Russia, and after the war he was sometime Consul-General in Kobe, Japan. After spending seven years at the Berlin Foreign Office in the Department for East Asiatic Affairs, and later as Director of that Section, in 1931, he came to China. Dr. Trautmann is spending a few days here, and may find an opportunity to visit Fanling, as he is a keen golfer.

*Philippa*



A group photograph taken after the wedding of Mr. Chan Cheung-lu and Miss Li Phi-chan at the Hop Yat Church. (A Fong)



Mr. Yu Wai-wah and Miss Au Un-pik photographed after their wedding at the Gloucester Hotel yesterday week. (King's Studio).

### Mr. Friml's Short Visit

MR. Friml paid us a short visit this last week. He stayed some five days and left on Wednesday for Shanghai. He has just had a very interesting trip via Siberia to Czechoslovakia, visiting his old hometown, Prague. His stay in Shanghai will also be rather shorter than he would have liked as he has to be back in Los Angeles by the beginning of January. What he has to be back for is a big secret — but probably it has something to do with "Rose Marie," which is being made into a talkie.

### Dr. Trautmann's Visit

THE German Ambassador to China, Dr. Oscar Trautmann, accompanied by Dr. H. Lautenschlager, Counsellor of the

Embassy, arrived in town last Thursday on the Canton train. Mr. Gipperich, with members of the German community, was on the platform to receive him. This is the Ambassador's first visit to the South, to which he came on official business.

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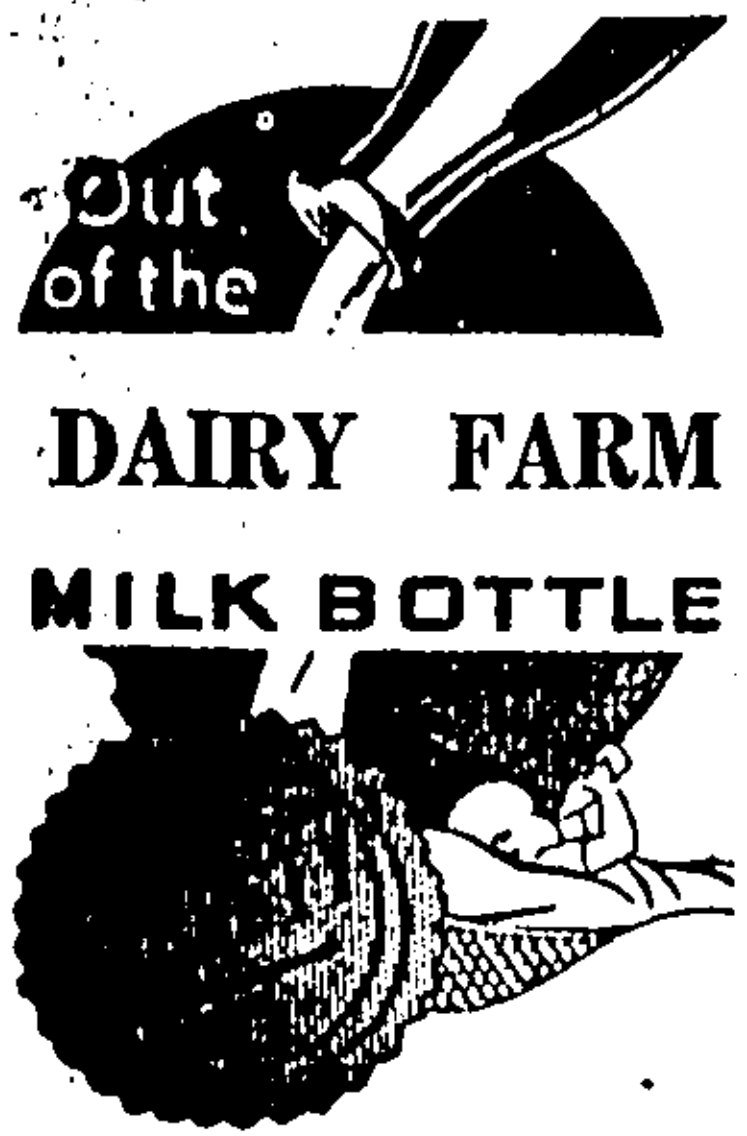
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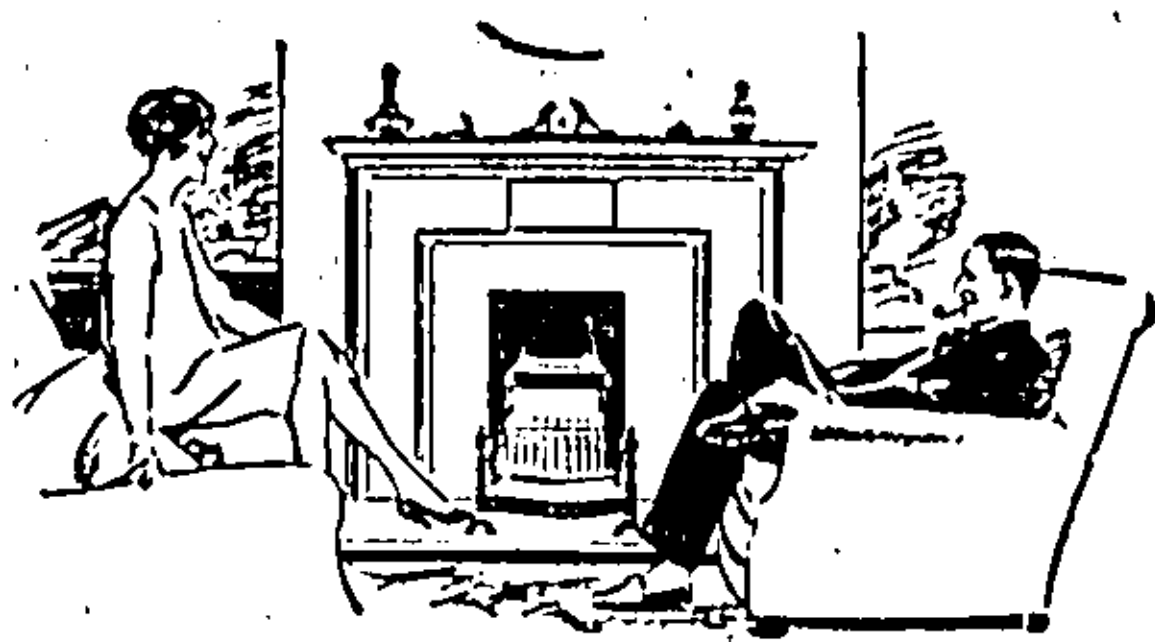


H.E. Sir Thomas Southern, H.M. Volunteer Defence Corps at Fanling



An incident during the Army H. ("Sunday Herald" photo).

(Top)—H.E. the Officer Administering the Government, Sir Thomas Southern, seated third from left, enjoys tiffin with Officers of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps at the Fanling Camp. (King's Studio.) (Above) A scene at St Andrew's Garden Party last Saturday ("Sunday Herald" photo). (Right) Before the start of a race at last Saturday's regatta.



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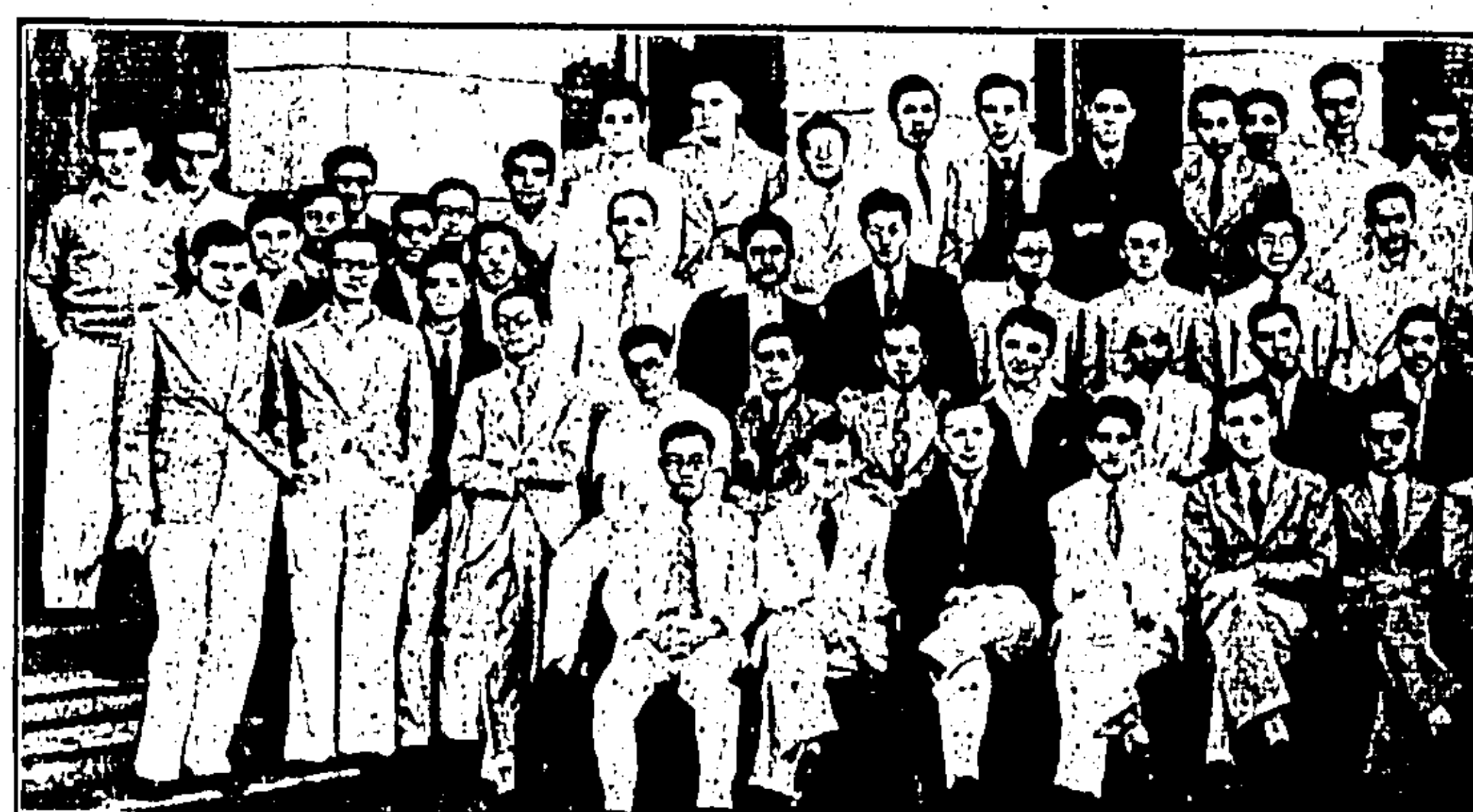
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the team competition; the Royal Welch Fusiliers' team, the winners; firing at 500 yards; and the Hong Kong Police points to avoid the wooden spoon.



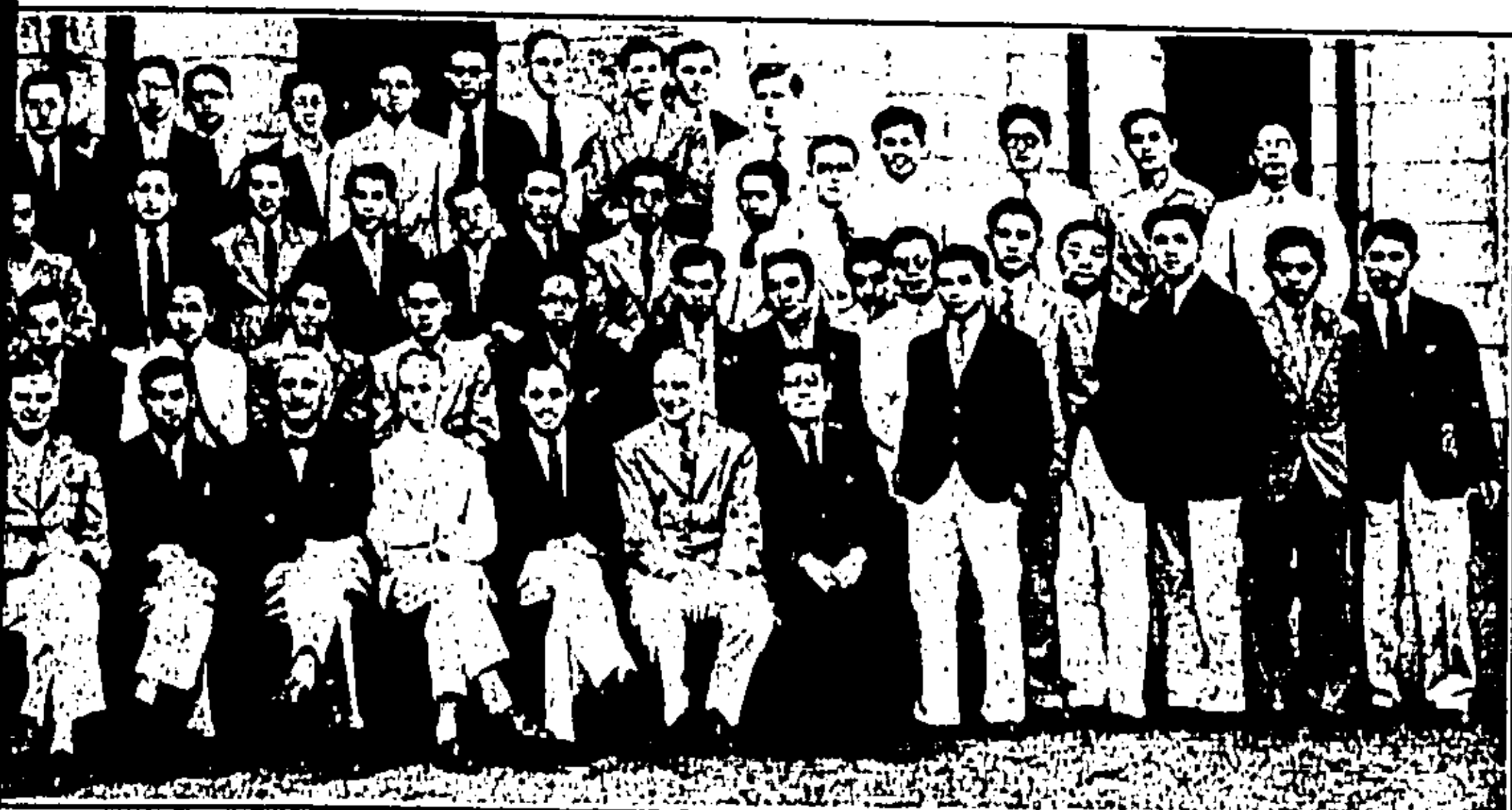
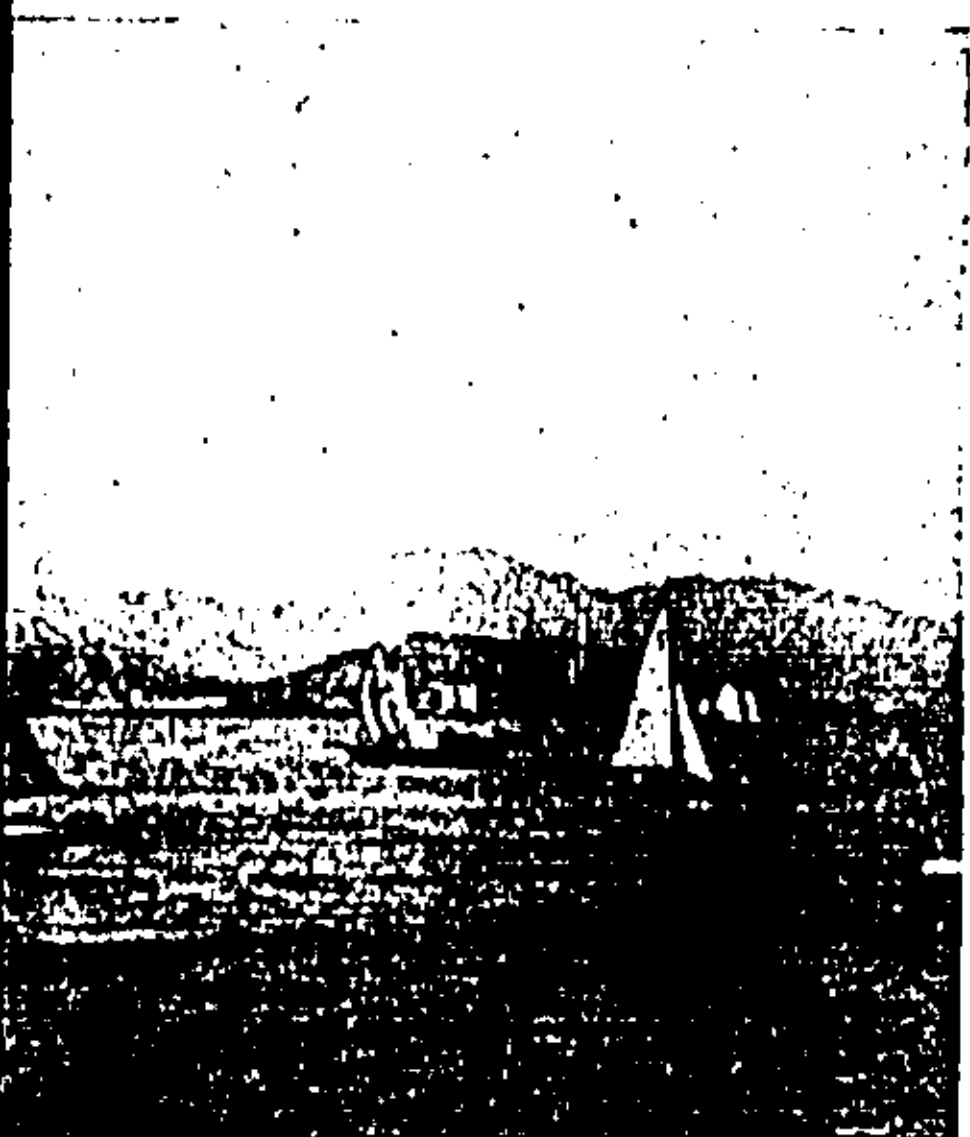
graphed with Officers of the Hong Kong up (King's Studio).



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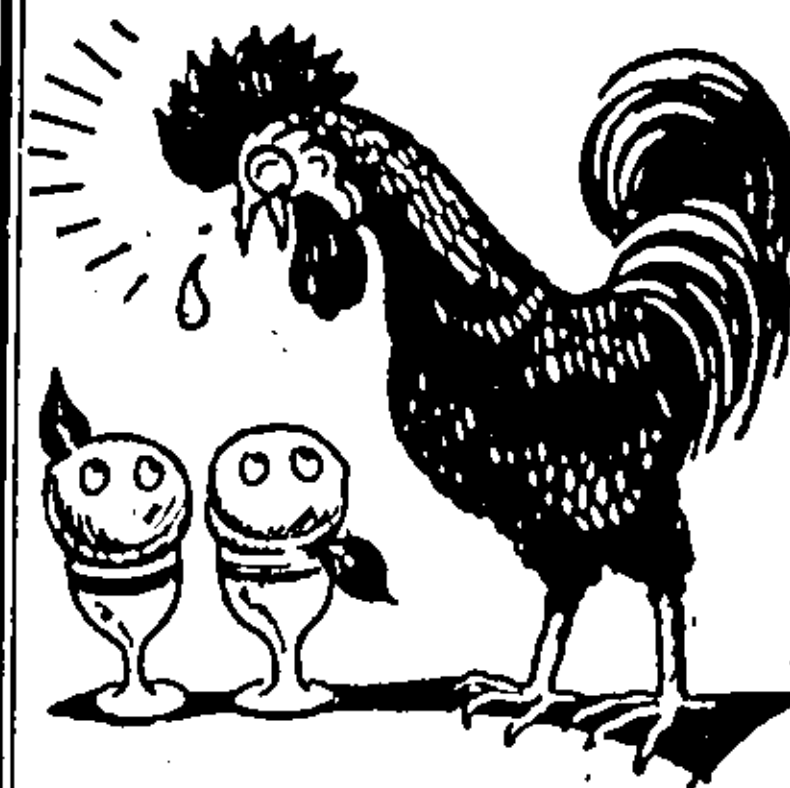


(Top)—Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps machine-gunners in action during field training at the Volunteer Camp at Fanling (King's Studio). (Above) Another scene at St. Andrew's Garden Party last Saturday afternoon. ("Sunday Herald" photo.)



gent, Professor F. A. Redmond, is seen seated in the centre (A. Fong).

## PEACH EGGS



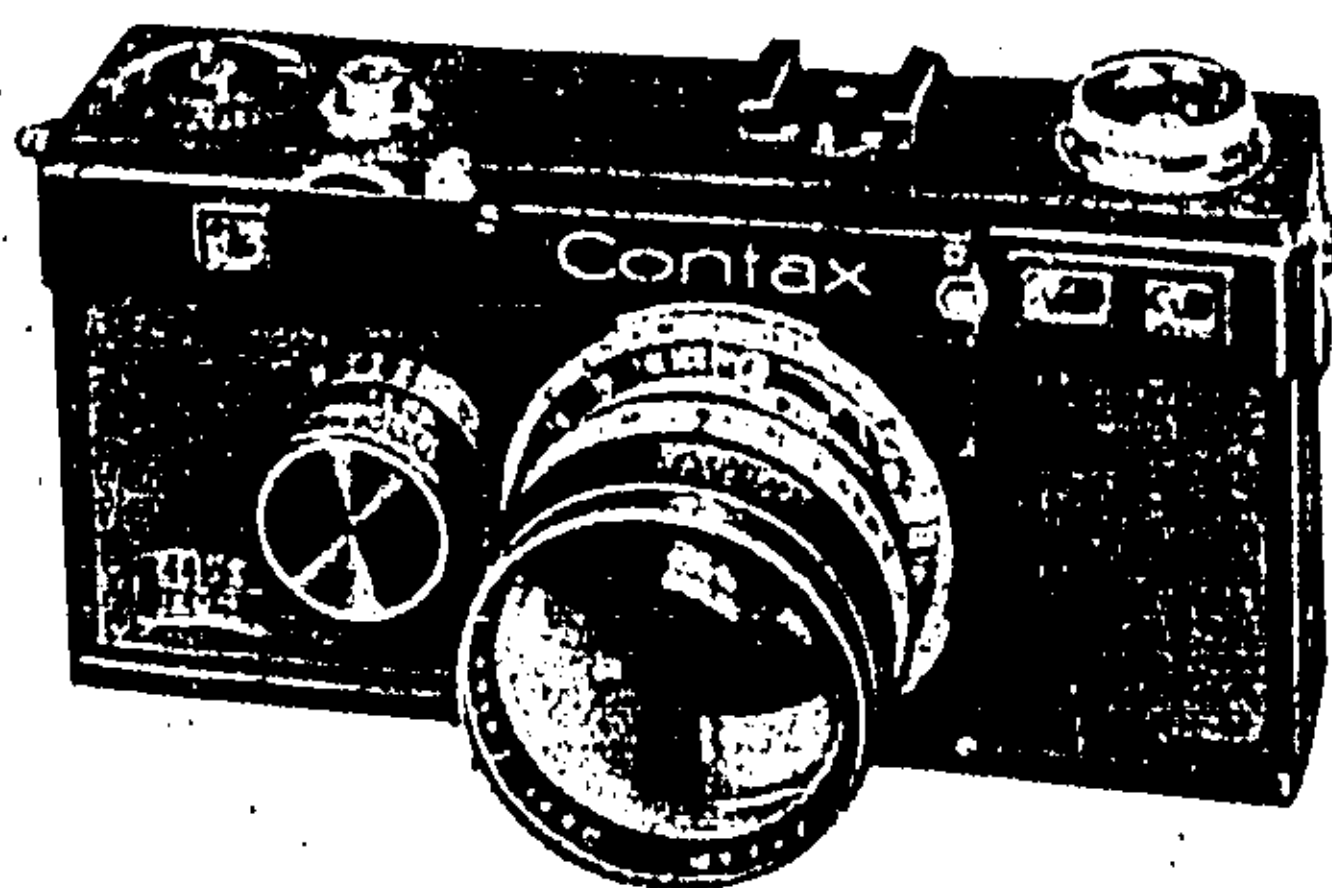
**INGREDIENTS:**—A flat sponge cake, 1 small tin of peaches, 11½-oz. tin Nestle's Pure Thick Cream, roast almonds.

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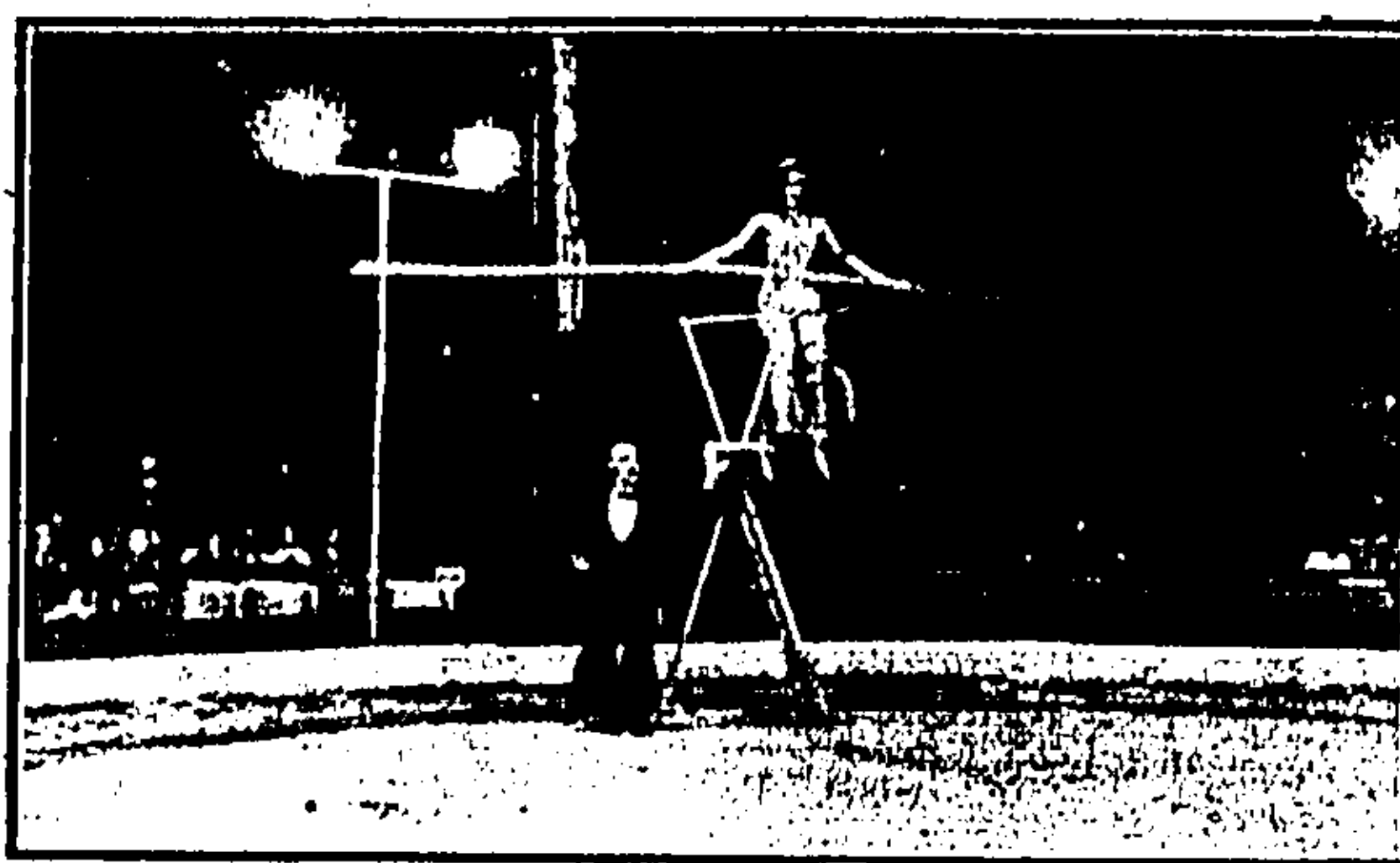
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# About TOWN



A tightrope "turn" at Harnston's Circus, now showing in Hong Kong. (Photo, Mrs. H. Nocht, with a "Peggy" camera).

## Noel Coward

NOW that we have seen the great Noel Coward starring in a film of his own devising, what do we think of him as an actor? Let it be said at once that no film we have seen for a long time, if ever, differed so widely from the more or less stereotyped plot and representation that we have come to expect, and it is true that we have often expressed the wish for more variety. Noel Coward is, however, a serious actor, and we are justified in looking for an imagination and a technique to which we may apply serious standards. One of the audience sitting behind me remarked at an early stage, "this is not the sort of stuff for Hong Kong". That was no doubt true, for in Hong Kong most of the audience is not familiar enough with English to take the point of the "whe-cracks" in the first half of "The Scoundrel" in which he is a successful and only too attractive personality. But that is no reason why his wit should be made more difficult to follow by being delivered rapidly, without any attempt to apply the rules of elocution. It is quite possible to whisper so that a large audience can hear every word, if it is done with a proper use of the lips and intonation. In this part the star was deliberately acting the amateur because he thought it would be more telling than the professional style. But he was wrong.

## The Barnstormer

THE reaction from the exaggeration of the old dramatic emphasis has been carried too far. It is quite beyond dispute that the pompous mouthing of words that marked the old



The performing elephant act at Harnston's Circus. (Photo, Mrs. H. Nocht, with a "Peggy" camera).

hero of a melodrama who toured the country districts with what was called by the profession a "fit-up"—a stage that was taken to pieces after the performance—was highly absurd and rightly made the butt of satire. But he was himself a satire on the genuine artists of the old style, who recognised that a play reproduced by men and women was not just a slice of life imitated, but a selection from life underlined, like all good art, to show us something that we might have missed without that direction. The old Adelphi melodramas by Sims and Pettitt with William Terriss as hero would crowd any theatre to-day if they were dug up and revived.

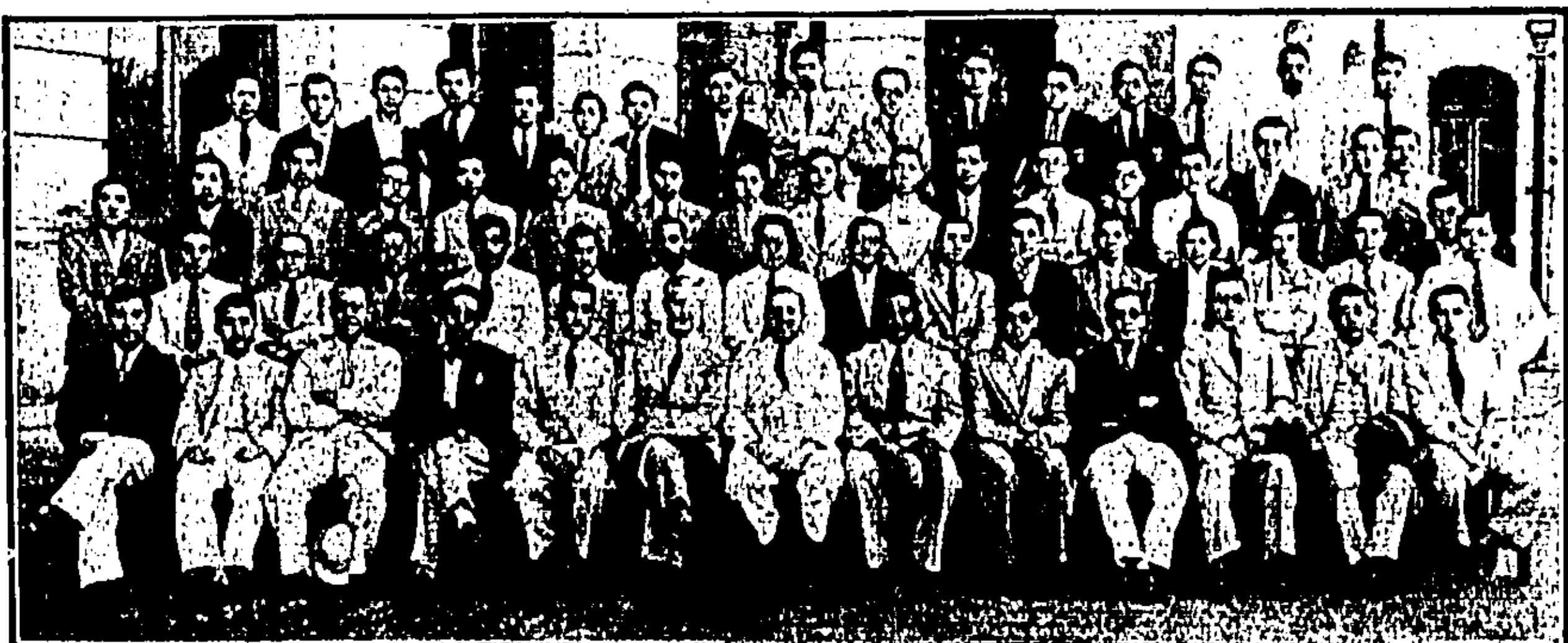
## Human Types

IN many of the less advertised films that appear at the smaller cinemas one sees occasionally a small part very effectively taken by a performer who has obviously been chosen for his physical characteristics or some peculiar mannerism. On the screen, in fact, he is just himself. One may laugh heartily, or be more affected than one would be by a performance that was

notably "clever", but such a player is not really an actor at all, for he could not think himself into the skin of a part that was not suited to him all the time. Yet so confused and mercantile has become the general level of comment on the films that a man actually wrote a book last year to advocate that all the casting for films should be done by selecting "types" and not actors. Each player would then only play one part in the whole of his career, and he would soon become incapable of playing any other, or even of playing his own "type" with any freshness.

## The Coward Ghost

SOMETHING akin to that was the mistake that Noel Coward made in this second part of the film, in which he is really a ghost of himself. One feels sure that he would repudiate the "type" theory with indignation, but neither ought he to adopt the theory of "reserve" by insisting on being just himself, when he is really dead. If one is romantic enough to imagine a plot based on an old superstition that a spirit cannot rest if no one has shed tears at his death, one should also go the whole hog and make a difference between the speech of a ghost and the speech of a living successful publisher. It could also be noticed that just now and then—as when he stood immovable at a window—he seemed to make a slight effort to do so, for no living publisher would stand like a statue when he was being spoken to by a friend. We would certainly like to see another Coward film, and many more, but with a hope that he would not scorn to act.—Commentator.



Members of the Hong Kong University Medical Society, 1935, of which Professor W. I. Gerrard is President and Professor K. H. Digby Vice-President (A. Fong.)



## Sports Chatter

### Goldman-Pearce Partnership

**L. GOLDMAN**, finalist in the Hong Kong Lawn Tennis Open Doubles Championship in 1932, 1933 and 1934 with E. C. Fincher, but who did not take part this year, will next year enter for the event in partnership with T. A. Pearce.

### New Lady Tennis Player

**THE** most recent acquisition to local lawn tennis is Mrs. Dowling, wife of Major W. E. B. Dowling, 2nd-in-Command of the East Lancashire Regiment. A County player of no mean repute, Mrs. Dowling is at present considered to be among the first three lady players in the Colony.

### Whitham On Holiday

**AMONG** the many prominent passengers who left the Colony for home last Friday week by the Scharnhorst, was James Whitham, the Colony Interport rugby full-back, who is spending a short holiday at home before returning to the Colony in August of next year.

### Eric Ralston Back

**AMONG** the most recent arrivals in the Colony was Mr. Eric W. Ralston, the well known water-polo player and swimmer, who is traveling round the Far East on a business trip. He left for Shanghai on Wednesday last by the m.v. Chichibu Maru.

### Donn Active On Leave

**A. G. DONN**, former captain of swimming at the European Y.M.C.A., has done quite a lot of swimming while on home leave. He represented the United Banks at water-polo and in swimming events.

### Campbell Leaves Army

**W. CAMPBELL**, the former British Army and European Y.M.C.A. half-mile swimming champion, has now left the Army (South Wales Borderers) and is working at the Hotel Metropole, Swansea, while Sutherland, who was a member of the Borderers' and Y.M.C.A. junior water-polo team, now has his own business in South Wales, where he is doing very well.

### "V.J." In Hospital

**FORMER** members of the Singapore Swimming Club will be very sorry to hear that "V.J." (Vaughan-Jones) is now in hospital, although making splendid progress. He will be best remembered by former Malayan rugby enthusiasts for his handling of the games in the Cricket Club League and in Malaya Cup matches.

### Titlists Defending Crown

**L. GOLDMAN** and Miss R. Hancock, holders of the Colony Mixed Doubles Lawn Tennis Championship, will defend their title this year. The event is again being held under the auspices of the Chinese Recreation Club.

**L. Goldman** and Miss R. Hancock will encounter very strong opposition this year from Willie Hung and Mrs. Wilson, of the K.C.C., who are partnering one another this season for the first time.

### Gonsalves Under Doctor's Orders

**J. GONSALVES**, one of the Recreation's most promising football players, has been medically advised to refrain from football for the remainder of the season. Gonsalves played several games for the senior team on the right wing, and at half-back.

### Marathon "Hat Trick"?

**J. SMITH**, who has won the annual local marathon race two years in succession, hopes to win it again next year and is already undergoing strict training. The race will be held in January.

Besides being a very capable runner, as his numerous trophies show, he is also a keen hockey player, playing for both the Y.M.C.A. and the C.B.A.

### Society Interporters

**THE** St. Andrew's bowls team, which beat St. George's a week yesterday, included three interporters, namely Fraser, Holland and McKelvie, as against one in the English team—B. W. Bradbury.

Incidentally two veteran bowlers made a re-appearance in that game. They were R. C. Wallace and N. Drummond of Taikeo. Wallace had played one game during the season, but this was the first time that Drummond had played in a match this year. Wallace was skip with Drummond as his No. 3 and their rink finished 20 shots up—the biggest victory of the whole match.

**T. F. Ferguson**, a bowling member of the Kowloon C.C., is due back in the Colony from home leave during this week.

**W. Groves**, a well-known local golfer, sailed for home a week yesterday on furlough. He is connected with the Guelown Company.

**A. Hills**, of the Kowloon B.G.C., will be sorely missed when he leaves for home sometime in June. He is working at Shing Mun Dam.

### Ward's Misfortune

**ALBERT WARD**, St. Joseph's soccer captain and inside-right, will be absent from local football for some time owing to an injury to his thigh.

## By the Judge

### Small's Long Innings

**S. A. ISMAIL**, the Indian Recreation Club wicket-keeper, has played regularly for their 1st XI since the Club was founded in 1919. He was a slow bowler in those days and only took up wicket-keeping in 1924, the year in which the Club was desperately short of a stumper.

### Ralston's Rugby Days

**J. RALSTON**, of the Education Department, was one of the best rugby football players in the Colony in his younger days. Prior to coming out to Hong Kong to take up his appointment with the Education Department, Ralston was given a trial for Scotland on more than one occasion.

### C.R.C. And Cricket

**IT** is a pity that the Chinese Recreation Club have given up cricket. In the old days they boasted a very useful all-round team. Ng Sze-kwong, the former tennis champion, Un Hwee-fan, the Choa brothers and H. Ching were then the mainstays of their XI and they were always looked upon as one of the most sporting teams that took part in the League.

### Budding's Furlough

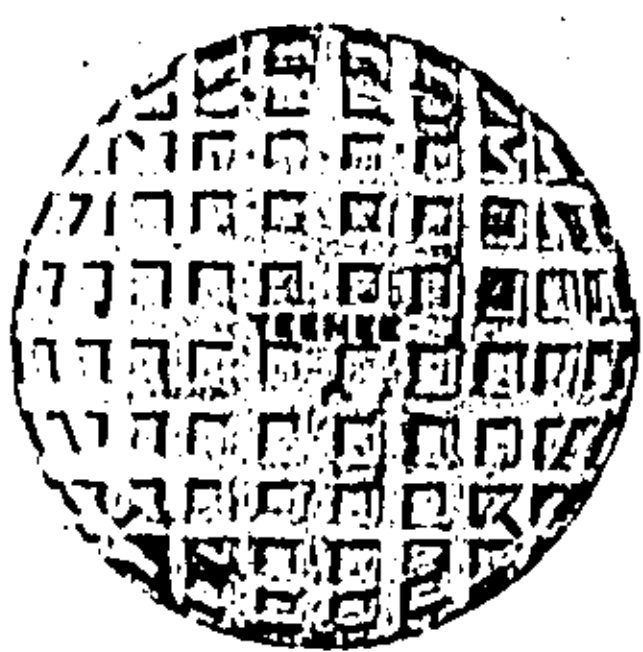
**A** NOTHER bowler who will be missed from the K.B.G.C. next March is J. H. Budding, one of the most talented players in the Bowling Green's senior team last season.

**A. W. Meloy**, also of the K.B.G.C., is leaving for home in the spring.

## SPORT PERSONALITIES, II.



**NG Sze-kwong**, lawn tennis champion of the Colony from 1918 to 1923, has also represented China at the Far Eastern Olympic Games (at tennis) on four occasions, 1917, 1919, 1921 and 1923. He also held the singles title of the Chinese Recreation Club for many years and has served as President of the Club since 1924. His activities are not only confined to tennis, for he was billiards champion of the Chinese Club as well as the C.R.C., while at ping-pong he also beat "all comers" at the latter Club. He was elected captain of the Chinese Davis Cup team which met Australia in America in 1924, but he declined to make the trip for business reasons. When the C.R.C. had a team in the Cricket League, Ng Sze-kwong was their mainstay. He invariably opened their innings and used to knock up some big scores, his pair of chocolate-coloured pads being a familiar sight in those days. He was also a very useful slow bowler, and was regarded as a very safe slips fielder.



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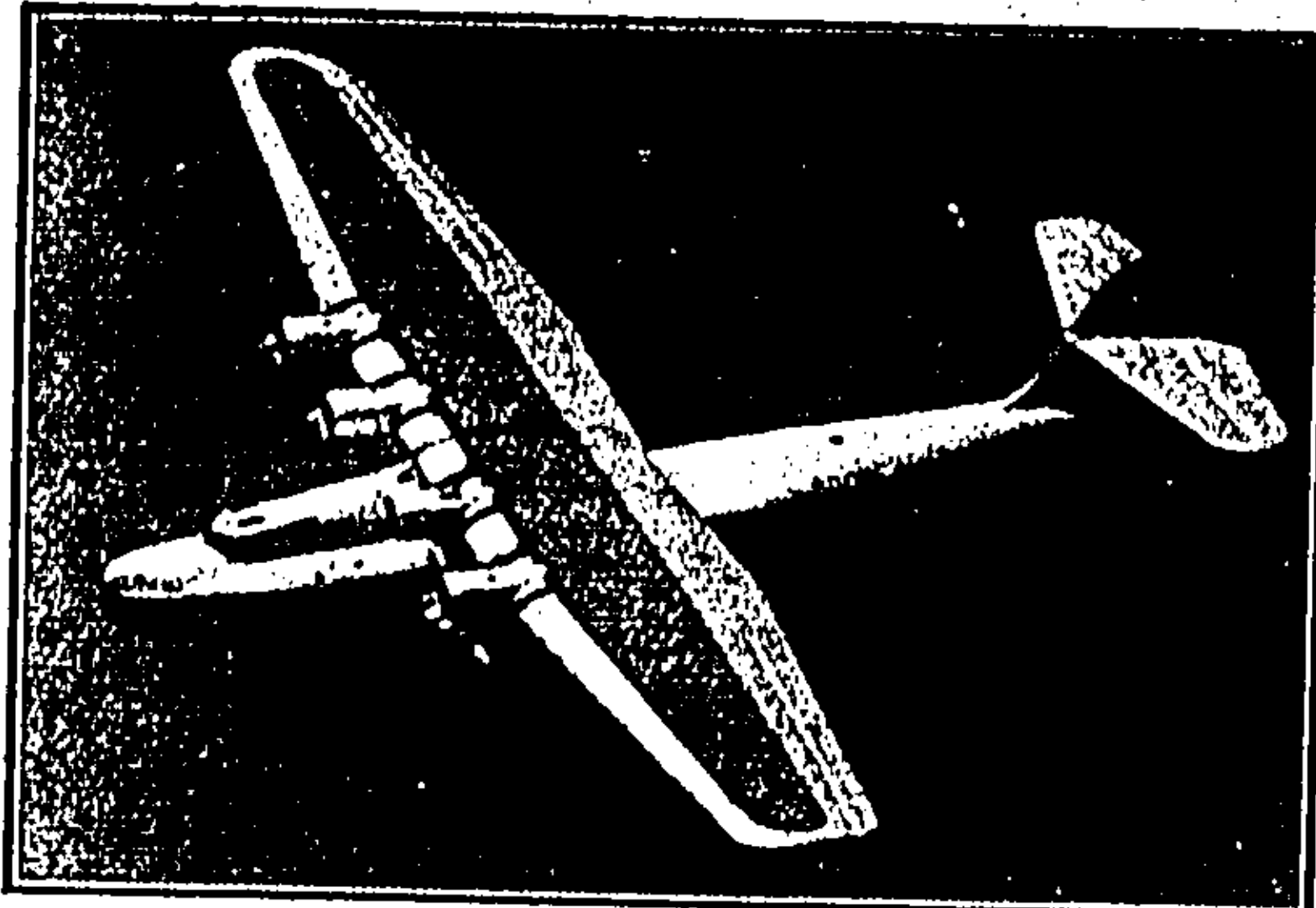
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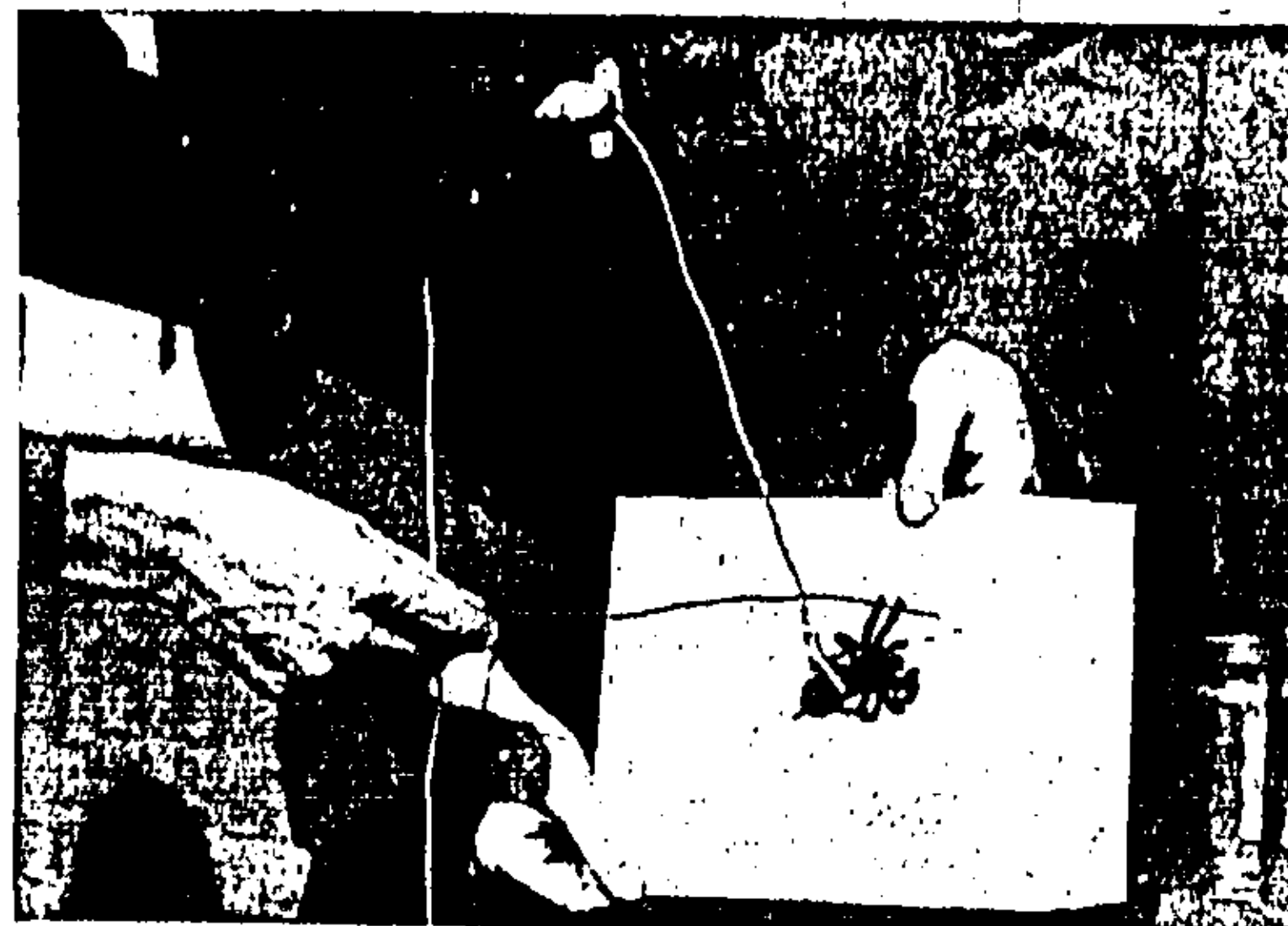
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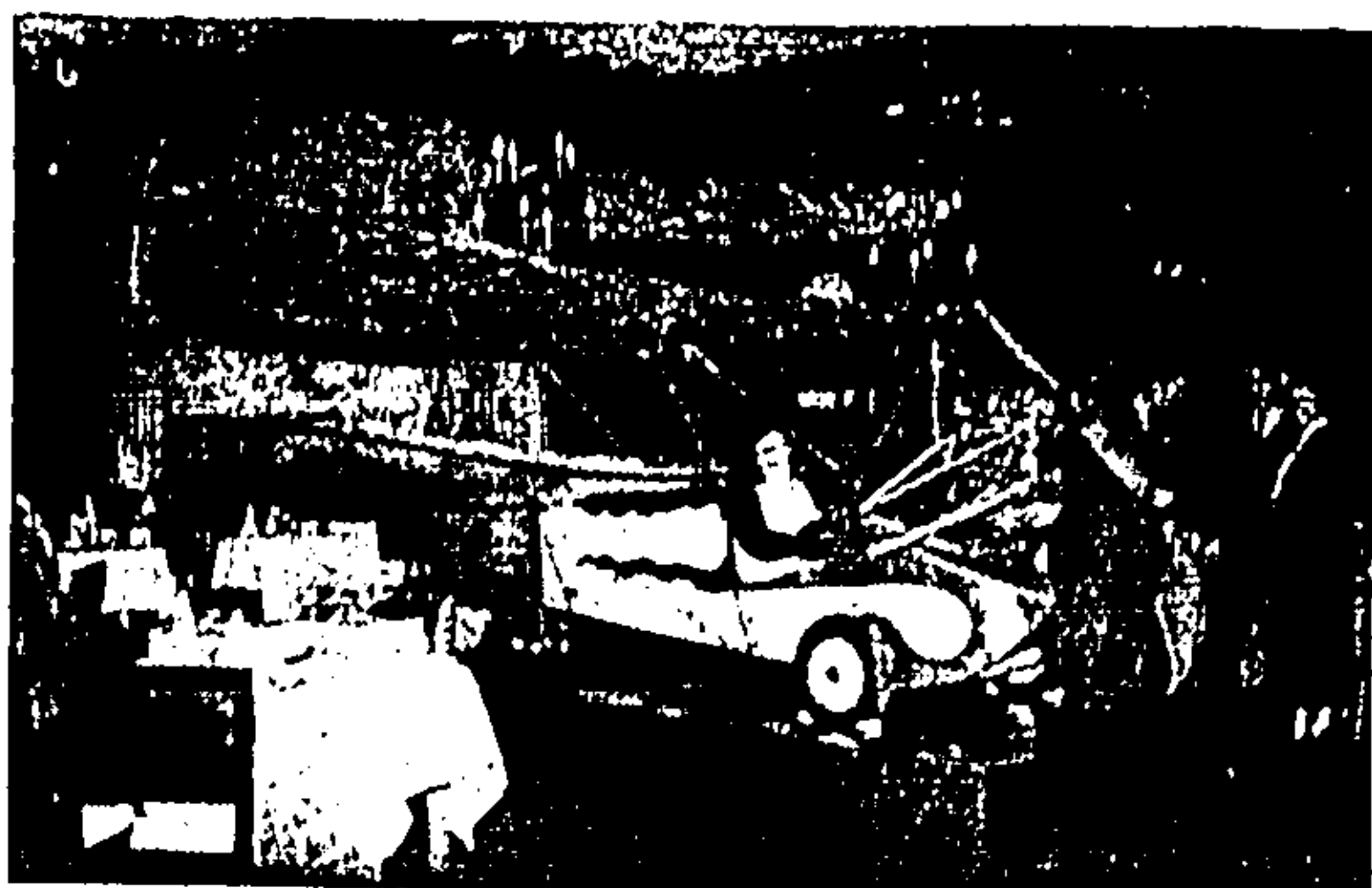


The Trans-Pacific Pan-American Clipper which recently flew from San Francisco to Manila using Mobiloil and Stanavo gasoline. An article on the flight appears elsewhere in this issue.

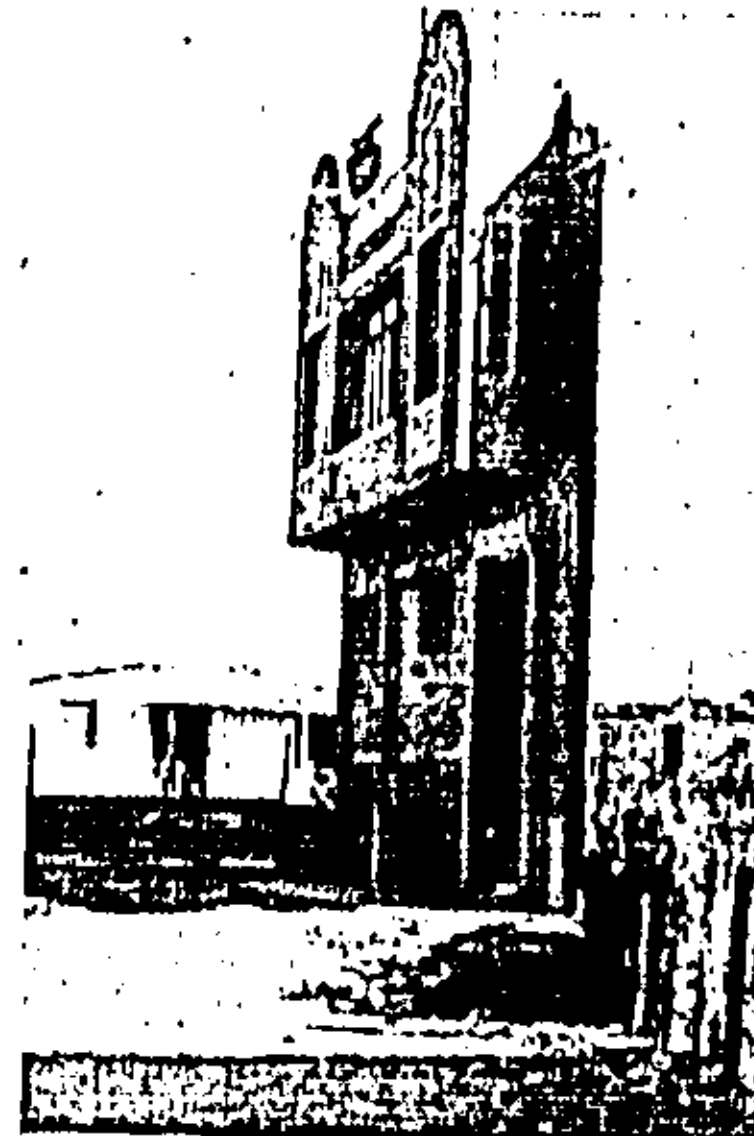
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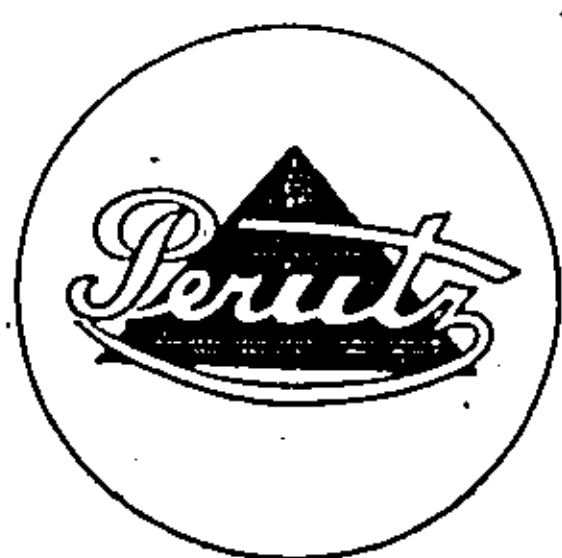
A spider kills a cat. A tarantula spider fell from a bunch of bananas from Honduras at Covent Garden market and bit a cat which went to investigate. The cat died within half an hour.



(Left)—A small aeroplane for the man in the street. The "Flying Flea," an aeroplane which can be built and flown for £75, is here seen on view at a Piccadilly restaurant with Jean Collin, the actress, in the cockpit.



The world's most curious house? This strange house at Montaza, Alexandria, Egypt, built like a wedge, has one room upstairs and cupboards below. Yet it is up-to-date with its wireless pole.



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## BRITAIN'S EXAMPLE TO BE FOLLOWED?

### DEVALUATION APPEAL IN FRANCE

"GENERAL STABILITY OF PRICES MERELY A MYTH"

Paris, Yesterday.

The Government's majority on the finance issue was larger than was anticipated, and it is now expected that the Government will win through the Fascist League debate next week. During last night's debate the Finance Minister, M. Regnier, said that the flight of gold had been a catastrophe since November 4. He therefore asked for a massive vote to enable him to take measures against speculators and newspapers running campaigns to bring them to the threshold of panic and crisis.

The motion, on which the vote was taken, proposed by the Left, Centre and Radical Deputies, reads: "The Chamber, observing the temporary character of the economy decrees, expresses confidence in the Government to pursue the defence of the franc, and calls upon the Government to apply immediately allocations in favour of small civil servants, *rentiers* and ex-service-men."

M. Laval made a quiet and dignified appeal. He referred to the example of England. When she was faced with the same difficulties she resorted to the same methods. He thanked the Radicals for their support. The vote was then taken.

Mr. Laval is trying to surmount another difficult hurdle, following Thursday's success. Numerous speakers in the Chamber yesterday criticised his financial policy. It was expected that the Premier would demand a second vote of confidence late last night, and was anticipated to obtain a smaller majority than Thursday's.

Critics contrasted the British and French policies to the detriment of the latter. One of the most important utterances was delivered in the afternoon by M. Paul Reynaud, the Right leader and former Finance Minister. He strongly appealed for devaluation and declared that France's loss of gold could not continue much longer.

Devaluation, however, should be carried out at a time of calm, not of crisis. Britain and the United States practically overcame the depression through devaluation, while France was dragging herself through a slough of misery, with unemployment rising.

**BLIND SUPPORTERS**  
The crisis was now at its worst in the countries which had failed to solve the problem of the high cost of living. He declared that if England in 1931 by means of sacrifices had not maintained the pound sterling, despite the collapse of world prices, it would have meant an indescribable catastrophe for the whole world. The supporters of orthodox finance were really blind. They could not see that England had rendered a great service in abandoning the gold standard.

"The general stability of prices" was a myth which Mr. Neville Chamberlain recently exploded, and the rising of world prices was another myth, which meant additional losses to France, when it could include her imported raw materials.—Reuter.

**ITALIAN PRESS COMMENT**  
Rome: M. Laval's victory in the Chamber on Thursday is given very favourable comment by the Italian press, which emphasises the French Premier's great services to his country and to the improvement of inter-State relations.

The *Popolo di Roma* expresses the view that M. Laval has set himself an exalted mission, namely, a rapprochement with Germany. If he should succeed it would be the greatest diplomatic event of post-war times. The power in Europe would then slip from the grasp of England.

The *Messaggero* declares that M. Laval has undertaken the task of maintaining peace in times of extreme difficulty, and expresses the hope that it will be possible, after Thursday's victory, to discard inter-party jealousy and intrigue and allow the Government greater freedom of movement.

**UNEMPLOYMENT.**  
Paris: The number of unemployed drawing relief throughout France increased by 5,768 to 404,000 during the week ended November 23, this being an increase of 34,400 by comparison with the figure at the same time last year.—Trans-Ocean Service.

**CO-OPERATIVE STORE**  
Goods At 15 And 30 Cents  
Business in the Colony seems to be improving.

Another 15 and 30 cents store, under the name of the Co-Operative System Stores, has been started in D'Agallur Street, just opposite the Albion 10 cent store.

There will be no excuse for people to say that they cannot afford to buy goods other than of Japanese manufacture because of their cheapness, as this newly opened store sells, exclusively, goods of American and British origin.

According to the management of this store, it is intended in the future to establish a chain of such co-operative system stores in the Colony.



Patricia Homans, deaf, mute and blind since her birth six years ago in Louisville, Kentucky, is being instructed to "hear," "see" and talk in Perkins Institute, Watertown, Massachusetts, where she is here shown getting lessons. She is accounted to be the most remarkable case in the history of American blind education. Helen Keller, a Perkins pupil, was not afflicted until five.

## TWO GERMANS KILLED

Eurasia Plane Makes Forced Landing

Shanghai, Yesterday.  
Two Germans were killed near Lingtiao on Wednesday last when Eurasia plane flying from Lanchow to Sian made a forced landing. Two Chinese passengers were injured. The dead are Captain Brohm and the mechanic, Mayer.—Reuter.

## PROSPECTS IN AMERICA

COUNTRY TO-DAY IS SOLVENT

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT OPTIMISTIC

New York, Yesterday.  
The Government has 3,125,000 unemployed on work relief jobs, declared President Roosevelt at a mass meeting at Atlanta yesterday. The remaining 375,000 of the 3,500,000 whom it is proposed to employ are under orders to report for work, and many are ready to start.

He declared that there had been a tremendous increase in morale through substituting work for the dole. The dole outraged every instinct of independence.

Expressing optimism regarding the coming year, the President said in the light of the continuing economic improvement: "We have passed the peak of the appropriations. Revenues, without the imposition of new taxes, are increasing. We can look forward to a decreasing deficit."

He claimed that the credit of the Government was higher than that of any other great nation. "We were insolvent," he said. "To-day we are solvent."

**DIRECT DOLE ABOLISHED**  
Washington: The complete liquidation of the Federal emergency relief administration has been announced by Mr. Harry Hopkins, the administrator. The termination of the direct dole for unemployed is regarded as a distinct triumph for the Government.

Over \$3,000,000,000 has been spent in Federal relief since May 1933. Officials decline to comment on the possibility that further sums may be necessary for the 4,000,000 men who cannot be employed, for whom the Government has declared that the local authorities are responsible.

It is learned that certain States in which there are many unemployed men have been allotted sufficient cash to continue the dole for the time being.—Reuter.

**IN POSSESSION OF AMMUNITION**  
Chinese Arrested In Morning Raid

Sentence of twelve months' hard labour was passed on Tai Ka-sum when he appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones yesterday on a charge of having in his possession at No. 2, Mow Lam Street on November 8, last, 40 rounds of ammunition. It was stated that the defendant was arrested at 118, Temple Street in an early morning raid.

## HO LOOKS TO PERSONAL SAFETY

CONNECTION WITH AUTONOMOUS REGIME REPUDIATED

Nanking, Yesterday.

Mr. Ho Shih arrived from Peiping on Thursday night, and declared that his participation in the inauguration of the new regime at East Hopei was a ruse to ensure his personal safety. Mr. Yin Ju-keng on November 25 summoned him to Tunghow, where he was forced to sign the declaration of autonomy.

## U.S.S.R. PROTEST TO JAPAN

Illegal Navigation Of Rivers Alleged

Moscow, Yesterday.  
The Soviet Government has protested through diplomatic channels to Japan against Japanese vessels illegally navigating the Amur, Sungaria and Ussuri Rivers, and has demanded that investigations be made and steps taken to prevent a repetition.—Reuter.

## RUTHLESS WAR ON RATS

Campaign Opened In Berlin

ALL HOUSE-OWNERS MUST PARTICIPATE

"SUNDAY HERALD" SPECIAL  
Berlin, Yesterday.  
A ruthless war on rats all over Berlin begins this morning at 8 o'clock and will continue unrelentingly until Tuesday night at 9 o'clock, at the order and under the supervision of the Chief of Police.

All house-owners are under the obligation to take part as part of their civil duty, partly because of the role played by rodents in spreading disease and partly because of the amount of destruction caused each year to public property.

Polson must be laid in such a way that other domestic animals, dogs, cats and poultry will not be victimised, and when the campaign is over the dead rats must be cleared away. Suitable poison is obtainable from the police stations.

Anybody not responding to the appeal of the Chief of Police is liable to a penalty.—Trans-Ocean Service.

## Government Appointments

The following appointments, etc. are notified in the *Government Gazette*:—

Dr. William Innes Gerrard, O.B.E., to be a member of the Medical Board for a term of three years, with effect from November 23;

Mr. Kenneth Keen to be a Police Magistrate, with effect from November 26;

Mr. D. G. E. Middleburg, Vice-Consul, to be in charge of the Netherlands Consulate-General during the absence on leave of Mr. G. M. Byanck, Acting Consul-General;

Mr. Manuel Rivera Iglesias, Consul-General for Peru, resumed charge of the Peruvian Consulate-General on November 22;

Mr. John Theophilus Bagram, Honorary Consul-General for Slam,

Mr. Yin Ju-keng subsequently sent him on a mission to Peiping. Upon arrival there Mr. Ho Shih immediately issued a statement repudiating his connection with the autonomous regime.

Mr. Ho Shih called on the Executive Yuan officials yesterday, to whom he submitted a report on the Tunghow affair.—Reuter.

## AIR DEFENCE IN KWANGTUNG

Branch Committees To Be Established

Canton, Yesterday.  
Orders have been despatched by the President of the Kwangtung Air Defence Committee to all the heads of the different pacification areas, districts, towns, and other important centres of the province, to establish branch air defence committees in the respective places. When this order is complied with, over 1,800 branch air defence committees are expected to be in existence.

Several high officials of the Third Army and the First Group Army have been to Chaochau, Swatow, and other districts in the East River area to look for suitable places for constructing air defence works.—Neutral News.

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## PRAYING WOMEN ARE BLOWN TO PIECES

### ETHIOPIAN GOVERNMENT COMMUNIQUE

GENEVA WILL DISCUSS OIL EMBARGO ON DECEMBER 12

Addis Ababa, Yesterday.

Only a few houses remain standing in Dagga-hbur, following constant bombardment by an Italian squadron, according to an Ethiopian Government communique. About 1,500 bombs fell in the town, including many of the incendiary type, which left buildings in a sheet of flame. The experienced troops escaped, as they were the quickest in running to cover immediately the attacking bombers were sighted.

A number of women praying in the temporary church erected to take the place of the one destroyed in a previous air raid were blown to pieces by a veritable hail of bombs.—Reuter.

Geneva: The Committee of Eighteen will meet on December 12 to consider the imposition of an oil embargo on Italy.

Italy's reaction to the proposed oil embargo is not likely to influence the Powers concerned. There is a strong feeling that the Committee of Eighteen should be convened early next week in order to emphasise that the League has decided not to trifle with the question. However, as M. Laval is unable to visit Geneva next week, it is necessary to postpone the meeting until the following week.—Reuter.

Asmara, To-day.  
Marshal Badoglio's first official action was to order the disarmament of the entire population of the occupied territory. This measure is being carried out with the greatest rigour, since recently Italian troops have very frequently been attacked in the rear.

Abyssinian deserters are also required to hand over their antiquated firearms, in exchange for which they receive brand new Italian rifles. Their chiefs must answer with their heads if these are ever used by their followers against Italians.

**MUNITION DUMPS DESTROYED**  
Rome: The 58th war bulletin reports that the columns are continuing their operations on the First Army Corps front in Danakil. On the Eritrean Army Corps front the advance section at the Abaro Pass dispersed armed Abyssinian sections. On the Second Army Corps front a mixed column in the Maigalatta territory came across army groups, which were put to flight, a number of prisoners being taken. On the Somali front aircraft bombed the Abyssinian positions at Dagga-hbur, destroying various munition dumps.

**ITALIAN HOSPITAL SHIPS**  
Rome: Five large passenger steamers, with a total of 4,000 berths, have been equipped by the Italian Government for medical and Red Cross services with the Italian expeditionary force in East Africa, and three other vessels, with a total of 3,000 berths, are in preparation, making 7,000 beds in all. The cabins are provided with automatic air-conditioning. These eight steamers will be used for the transport of the sick and wounded, and the remainder will be used as quarantine ships for soldiers and workmen stricken with contagious diseases, to remain in the port of Massawa.—Trans-Ocean Service.

**GOLD COLLECTIONS**  
Rome: The Italian bishops are the most active participants in the gold collections organised as a defensive measure against sanctions, according to press reports, which state that the Italian church dignitaries are enthusiastically supporting the national aims and have given a ready response to the Archbishop of Monreale's suggestion that the churches, monasteries and places of pilgrimage should hand over to the Government all gold treasures presented them by worshippers and pilgrims, receiving in return 5 per cent. war loan.

**TUNNEL TO AIRPORT**  
The Canadian Parliament has approved a \$1,000,000 tunnel to be built from downtown Toronto to the new airport on the island in Toronto bay.

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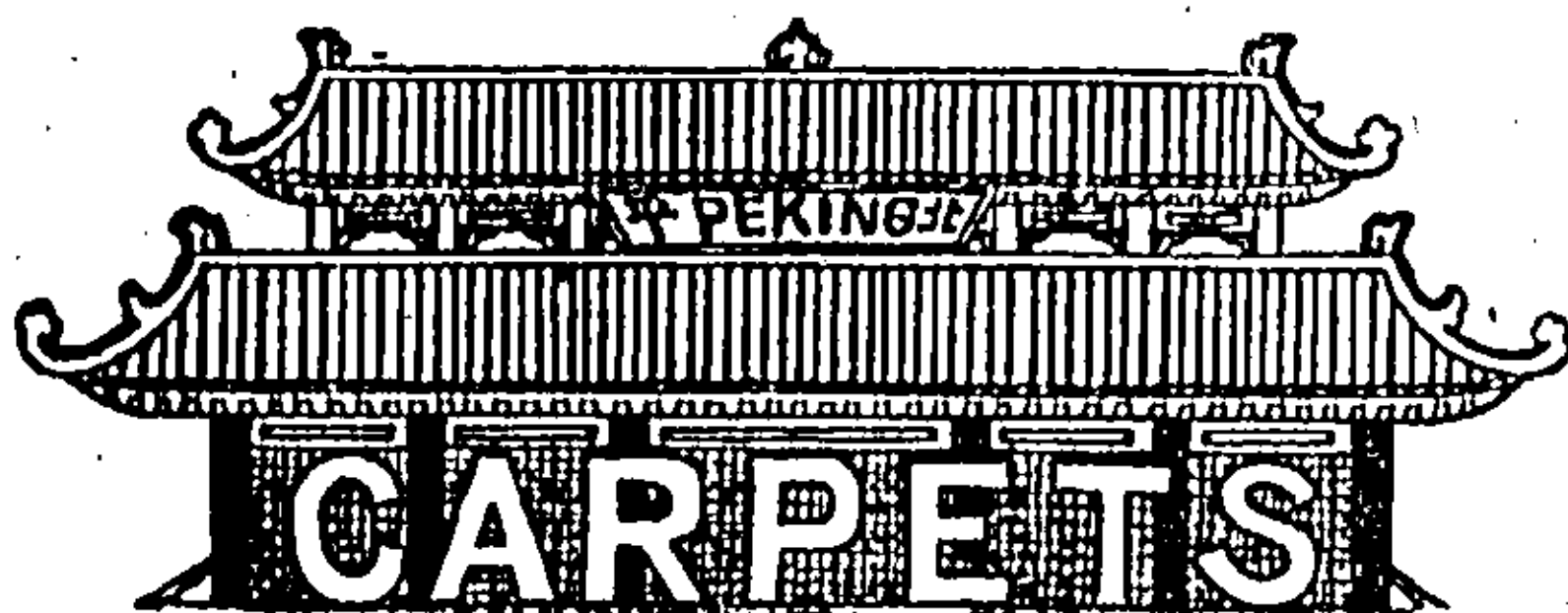
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## LEAGUE OF NATIONS

### WEEKLY REPORT ISSUED

#### APPLICATION OF SANCTIONS BY MEMBER STATES

Geneva, Yesterday.  
The Governments are continuing to send to the Secretariat documents relating to legislative or administrative measures taken by them in application of Article XVI Section I.

Senhor Vasconcellos, Chairman of the Co-ordination Committee, in accordance with the instructions of the Committee summoned a small group of experts to help him in supervising the execution of the Co-ordination Committee's proposals. This group includes representatives of Belgium, the United Kingdom, France, Greece, The Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Rumania, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, The U.S.S.R. and Yugoslavia. It met on November 27 and began a methodical examination of the information received from the Governments on the enforcement measures taken against Italy in conformity with the above Article.

This examination concerns the question whether the legislative or administrative measures correspond to the various proposals, and whether the enforcement covers all the territories under the control of the States members of the League, including their colonies, protectorates, leased territories and mandated territories. The work is now in progress.

#### Petrol Embargo

The Chairman of the Co-ordination Committee had also intended to summon the Committee of Eighteen, which is, *inter alia*, to consider whether the moment has arrived to apply an embargo on petrol and its derivatives, cast iron, steel and coal for Italy. As is known, the Co-ordination Committee has already declared itself favourable to an embargo on these products, but decided to suspend enforcement until the embargo is likely to be effective.

The Committee of Eighteen was summoned for November 29, but on the request of the French Prime Minister, who wished to attend personally

and could not be at Geneva, the date fixed for the meeting was adjourned for some days. Senhor Vasconcellos, in consultation with the Committee, decided to convene the Committee of Eighteen on December 12, a date which will permit all the members to come to Geneva.

#### Films For Children

Following the request of the Child Welfare Committee, approved by the Council, the League Secretary-General has sent a questionnaire to the Governments members in order to obtain the completest possible information on recreation films and special cinema performances for children.

#### Licence Systems

The Secretariat of the League issued a report on the

working of the import certificate and export licence system recommended by the advisory committee on the Opium and Dangerous Drug Traffic in conformity with the conventions now in force regarding the traffic. This document contains suggestions and recommendations as to the working of the system.

#### Council Membership

A committee on the question of the composition of the Council of the League was to meet on November 25 but was postponed, by request of several members of the committee. — British Wireless Service.

## INTERNATIONAL SOCCER

### Deputation To Home Secretary

#### ORGANISED PROCESSION IN LONDON?

London, Yesterday.  
In a letter to the Trades Union Council regarding the visit of about 10,000 German football enthusiasts to London next week to watch the International match between Britain and Germany, on the Tottenham ground at White Hart Lane, the Home Secretary, Sir John Simon, says he welcomes the Council's recent approach to him on the subject, as enabling him to state that "Wednesday's match has no political significance whatever. It is a game of football which nobody need attend unless he wishes, and I hope that all who take an interest in it from any side will do their utmost to discourage the idea that a sporting fixture in this country has any political implications."

The Trades Union Council have replied, accepting the offer of the Home Secretary to receive a deputation on Monday, and pointing out that any concern they expressed was aroused not by the match, but by suggestions of an organised procession of the visitors to the ground. — British Wireless Service.

## POLICY IN GERMANY

### HITLER WILL NOT CAPITULATE

Berlin, Yesterday.  
In a speech at the Deutschlandhalle, Herr Hitler firmly rejected the "bourgeois counsels" to a more moderate middle course. Difficult problems, he said, still lay ahead, but he was determined not to capitulate.

"Our opponents contemplate gaining power if we collapse, but we are determined not to succumb. We have taken steps to ensure that if some of us cease to exist others will take their place."

The Nazis would regulate the problem of raw materials, though that would be easier if the world was not mad. — Reuter.

#### POSTPONEMENT OF NAVAL CONFERENCE

London, Yesterday.—The opening meeting of the Naval Conference at the Foreign Office, at which the Prime Minister will speak, has been fixed for 10.30 a.m. on Monday, December 9.

The postponement from Saturday next has had to be made owing to delays experienced by the United States delegation in reaching London. — British Wireless Service.

#### KOWLOON JUNIOR SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

The Kowloon Junior School is giving an entertainment at St. Andrew's Hall on Thursday, December 19, at 5.30 p.m., for which invitations have been issued. Programmes are to be sold at 10 cents each, the proceeds to be given to the Society for the Protection of Children. The school children and Staff are making all the stage "props" and dresses, and are working hard to make the entertainment a real success.

## CHINESE ART EXHIBITION

Amazing Success  
In London

NUMBER OF FOREIGNERS  
ASTONISHING

British Textile World  
Keenly Interested

London, Yesterday.

The Duke and Duchess of Kent will accompany Their Majesties the King and Queen to the Chinese Art Exhibition tomorrow, when they will be shown round by Mr. Quo Tai-chi, Chinese Ambassador in London. Other royalties will also be in the party.

There is every indication that the Exhibition will be an unprecedented success. Thursday was the first public day, and there were over 3,000 visitors, 1,000 more than visited the British Art Exhibition. This is believed to be a record.

Yesterday, despite the 5s. entrance fee, the galleries were crowded. Turnstile keepers, asked how the attendance compared with that at bygone exhibitions, said: "Extraordinarily good; seldom anything like it."

#### Pretty Chinese Girls

The stalls in the entrance hall, where two pretty Chinese girls in lovely red silk Chinese dresses are assisting, are driving a brisk trade in photographs of the exhibits.

The number of foreigners is astonishing. The language of every country in Europe is overheard. Nearly 40 recognised specialists in Chinese art, four from Germany alone, have arrived, specially sent by the newspapers of most of the European countries to write up the exhibition. A leading firm of Paris dressmakers is bringing out a long series of new costumes incorporating the Chinese influence. Enquiries from literary, cultural and commercial institutions throughout the Continent regarding cheap travel and entrance facilities are pouring into Burlington House daily.

#### Textile World Interested

The British textile world is keenly interested. The President and entire council of the Bradford Chamber of Commerce are arranging a visit to the Exhibition, as the result of a report from their experts, specially sent to it.

Sir Percival David yesterday inaugurated a series of lectures arranged by the Royal Society adjoining Burlington House during the course of the Exhibition. The Crown Prince of Sweden presided. The demand for tickets is three times the capacity of the hall. Already every seat for the hall for the whole series is sold out.

A noticeable tendency of visitors is to concentrate in one gallery, indicating their intention to make further visits. The most popular room yesterday appeared to be that housing the Shangyin Chou bronzes. Many exclamations of admiration of their beautiful shapes and rich chasing were overheard. — Reuter.

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## MANAGER IN TROUBLE

### Alleged Forgery And False Pretences

At Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, Yu Kwok-fong, alias Henry K. Yu, alias Lu Sing-wan, aged 27, described as a manager, was charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones with (a) uttering a forged document purporting to be the certified particulars of the *Thunder Monthly News*, as required by the Printers' and Publishers' Ordinance on September 9, 1935, (b) obtaining money by false pretences from Lam Wing-ming on September 22 last, (c) obtaining money by false pretences from Lung Kel-kwan on October 2 last, (d) forgery, (e) obtaining money by false pretences from Lam Wing-ming on October 3 last, (f) obtaining money by false pretences from Lam Wing-ming on October 23 last and (g) forgery.

Inspector W. R. Chester Woods, who was in charge of the case for the Police, asked for a week's remand, stating that it was probable that he would receive instructions to ask that the case be taken as a committal one. A week's remand was accordingly ordered.



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## GOVERNMENT HOUSE FUNCTIONS

### His Excellency Attends Fanling Field Day

#### MANY OFFICIAL LUNCHEONS

The social activities of His Excellency The Officer Administrator the Government, Sir Thomas Southern, and Government House functions for the week ending yesterday are recorded in the following official communiqué issued from Government House yesterday.

Sunday, November 24:—

His Excellency, attended by Captain W. J. R. Cragg, A.D.C., witnessed the Field Operations of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps at Fanling. His Excellency was the guest of Lt.-Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E., and Officers of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps at lunch in the Field.

Monday, November 25:—

His Excellency and Lady Southern, His Excellency The Rt. Hon. Sir Robert Clive, K.C.M.G., and Miss Cadogan, and the Personal Staff, returned to Government House.

Tuesday, November 26:—

His Excellency received His Excellency Admiral Sir Frederic Dreyer, K.C.B., C.M.E., R.N.

His Excellency received Mr. R. H. Scott, His Majesty's Trade Commissioner for South China.

The following lunched at Government House: The Marchioness and Marquis of Normandy, The Right Reverend Bishop R. O. Hall, Wing Commander A. G. and Mrs. Bishop, The Honourable Mr. M. K. and Mrs. Lo, Sir William Hornell, K.T., C.I.E., L.D.S., Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Sayer, Mr. E. W. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Scott, Lt. Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E., R.N.V.D.C., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Franks, Mr. and Mrs. J. Owen Hughes, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Macgown, Dr. and Mrs. Nixon, Mr. and Miss Barrow, Miss Gough, Mr. W. E. Devereux-Massey and Mr. W. O. Darrell.

Wednesday, November 27:—

His Excellency received Captain H. F. Glover, U.S.N.

On behalf of His Excellency, Captain W. J. R. Cragg, A.D.C., returned the call aboard U.S.S. Mindanao.

Captain W. J. R. Cragg, A.D.C., represented His Excellency and Lady Southern at the funeral of Mr. J. W. C. Bonnar.

His Excellency and Lady Southern, attended by Captain W. J. R. Cragg, A.D.C., were the guests of His Excellency Admiral Sir Frederic Dreyer, K.C.B., C.M.E., R.N., and Lady Dreyer at dinner on board H.M.S. Kent.

Thursday, November 28:—

Lady Clive and Miss Clive arrived at Government House.

His Excellency presided at meetings of the Executive and Legislative Councils.

The following lunched at Government House:—Mr. J. R. Hayden, Vice-Governor of the Philippine Islands, His Honour Sir Atholl and Lady MacGregor, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hoover, The Honourable Sir William and Lady Shenton, Captain H. F. Glover, U.S.N., Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Dunbar, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Payne, Miss King, and Mr. W. E. Devereux-Massey.

Lady Southern visited the Busy Bees Working Party, and later presented prizes at the Whist Drive held at the Cheero Club.

Miss Hancock dined at Government House.

Friday, November 29:—

His Excellency The Rt. Hon.



Injuries received when the Boeing bomber, the "Flying Fortress" crashed during tests at Dayton, Ohio, resulted in the death of Major Hoyer P. Hill (above), of Seattle. Four other United States army fliers were injured.

## TOY PISTOLS AND AIR GUN

### Two Defendants Remanded

Kam Ah-nan, aged 38, and Kam Yan-hung, aged 27, both of Shanghai, were remanded yesterday morning for three days by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court when charged with the possession of toy pistols. Detective Sergeant T. Cashman said that the two defendants, together with another man, were seen by a Chinese detective sitting near the Queen's building in Chater Road. When he approached them they got up and ran away. The detective managed to catch the two defendants, and when searched, a toy pistol was found in the right pocket of each.

### Manila Chinese Fined

Yeung Sul-po, a Chinese from Manila, was yesterday morning fined \$50 by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court for having a air-gun without the permission of the Inspector-General of Police. The air-gun was ordered to be confiscated.

Detective Sergeant T. Cashman said that while at the Tung Fong Boarding House making enquiries, he found the rifle in defendant's room. Defendant had recently arrived from Manila, where he was well known, being the Chinese agent of the Dollar line. He said that he did not know the regulations.

Sir Robert Clive, K.C.M.G., Lady Clive and Miss Clive left Government House.

The following lunched at Government House: His Excellency Dr. O. Trautmann, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Howe, Herr and Frau H. Gipperich, Sir Victor Sassoon, K.T., Dr. H. Lautenschlager, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Gull.

His Excellency and Lady Southern, attended by Captain W. J. R. Cragg, A.D.C., were the guests of the Chieftain and Mrs. J. C. Macgown at dinner at the Peninsula Hotel and afterwards at St. Andrew's Ball.

Saturday, November 30:—

His Excellency and Lady Southern, attended by the Personal Staff, were the guests of Mr. M. T. Johnson at lunch at the Race Course, and were present at the 18th Extra Race Meeting at Happy Valley.

## Miss Wanderwell Praises The Hong Kong Girls

Miss Aloha Wanderwell, the famous world-traveller, who is revisiting Hong Kong after an absence of twelve years, gave some of her impressions of the city as it is to-day to a representative of the *Sunday Herald*.

What struck her most, she said, apart from the many alterations and improvements in the streets and buildings, was the remarkable change in the appearance and the ways of the Chinese women, especially the younger ones, which she considered was all to the good. She was full of admiration for modern Miss Hong Kong, whom she described as one of the most exquisitely fascinating types of women that she had ever seen. She was charmed, too, with the modern Chinese dress and commented upon the good taste of most of the girls and their ability to choose the materials most suited to their style.

Miss Wanderwell also mentioned that her original Ford car, in which she had made journeys of many thousands of miles in Africa and South America, now has an honoured place in the famous Ford Museum.

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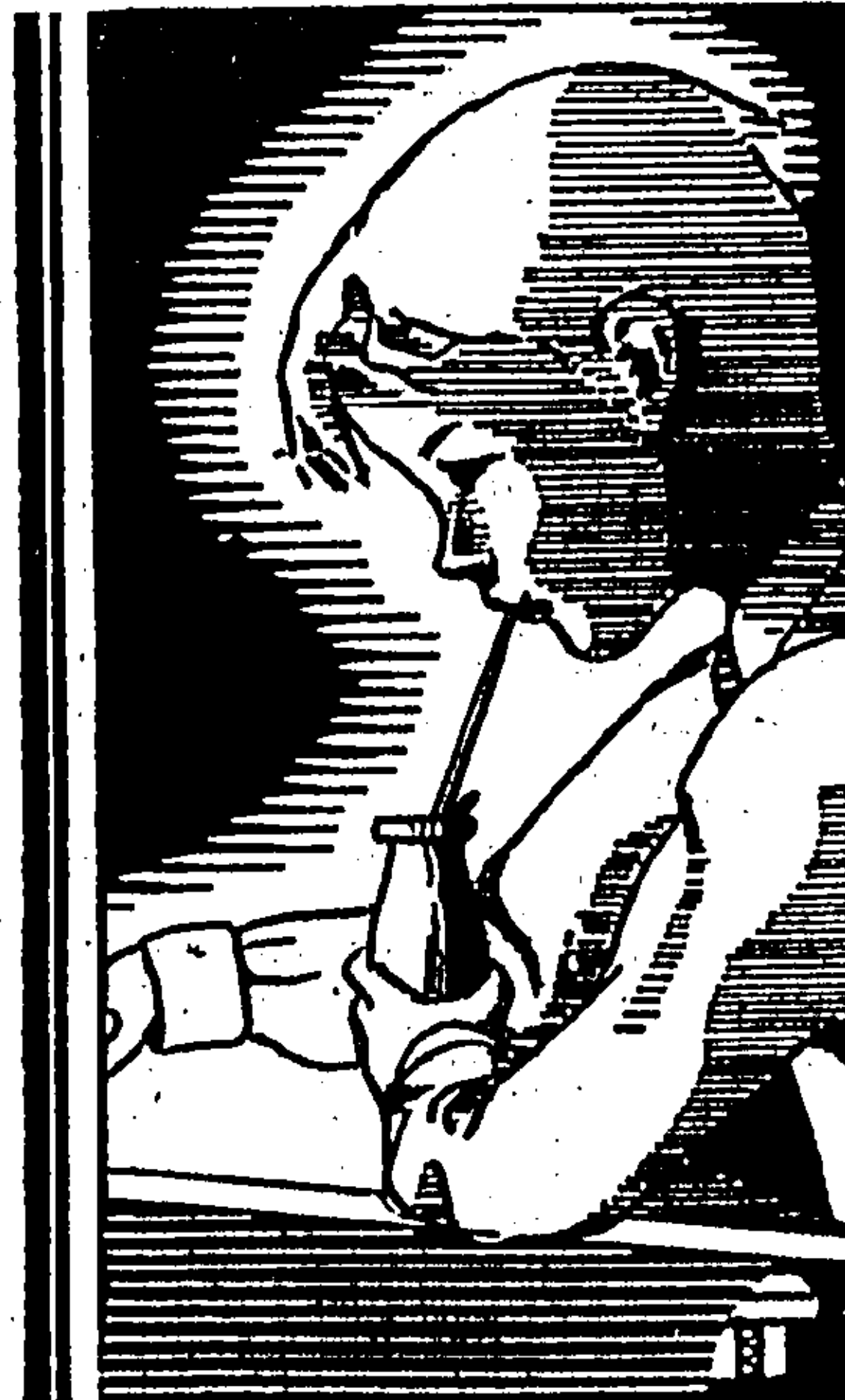


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## CORRESPONDENCE

# CONCERNING ART CRITIC'S REPLY TO "A.N.M."

## HOW MUCH ART IS IN THE ART CLUB?

[To The Editor, "Sunday Herald"]

Sir,—Art to-day is a terrible problem to an absolutely sincere, honest and yet ambitious mind. How true that statement is, only those can fully appreciate who themselves are struggling with that problem—genuine and sincere artists who are fired to give the world something it has never yet received, and "have not bowed the knee to Mammon," but are sacrificing everything for the pure and painful joy of creation. Those men, lovers of art, who have watched keenly, sympathetically and with understanding the struggle with the "terrible problem," know only a thousandth part of what passes in an artist's soul. So what do the other men know, who are neither sympathetic nor understanding—not even watching?

If we open the pages of a history of art, even the superficial student can learn one thing: that each new advance has been accompanied by a storm of abuse against the man who tried to upset long-standing traditions. The least thing he is accused of is ignorance of his art. That has been said of Michelangelo, Rembrandt, Cezanne, and practically all great men. The reason is that the great artist is almost invariably a rebel finding existing conventions hindering the full expression of his emotions. Naturally to casual contemporaries his work is unintelligible. They can only comprehend traditional art, because it puts little strain on their faculties.

I have been reprimanded by A. N. M. for failing to "enjoy" the Art Club's annual show. He thinks that I have not gone there in the right frame of mind. I went there, my dear A. N. M., in a critical frame of mind, and that is the only way to enjoy things. The critical mind immediately rejects all rubbish, retains only that which is really enjoyable. That there was so little to enjoy is truly not my fault.

To be elated before the insignificant does not show a capacity for joy, nor yet the right frame of mind—but simply bad taste. That we cannot see things with the same eye is only natural. I am one of those who are struggling with the "terrible problem," and I don't know that you are even sympathetic. Your casual manner shows little understanding. In fact your article is an affront to the intelligence of anyone who knows something of the subject. Or did you write it in the expectation that only the members of the Art Club would read it?

You attribute to me two statements which I never made. Re Luis Chan, I never said, or even meant, that he should be sent abroad to learn how to paint as a foreigner. Just to learn to paint. If he has a genuine talent, as I believe he has, when he comes back he will not paint as a Frenchman, but his own background will break through. You think that all he needs is a little wider experience that he can easily get from anyone in Hong Kong. Well, excuse me—but that is sheer ignorance. The experience one needs is not a little wider one, but a very wide one; and one does not get it easily. No, one gets it with one's life-blood.

I tried to call the attention of anyone interested to Luis Chan in the hope that he would be given a chance. And behind my advice there is the wide experience of the artist and the art teacher. Is it not presumptuous that you, who cannot know anything of the subject of art training, should try to interfere with the chance which I tried to bring in this young man's way?

And now Leo Byng. Please read again what I said about him, and you will discover what I meant. There is no reference in my article to his name. I don't care what his name is. But if he is Chinese, I think he ought to paint as a Chinese (not necessarily in the traditional

manner), and not as an English, French or German painter. The rest of your musings show the same lack of understanding; in fact the last paragraph shows ignorance of the facts. Art dealers do exploit artists, living or dead, even speculate in them; but they never made one. Corot and especially Van Gogh will always remain a page in the history of art, art-dealers or no art-dealers.

But there is one malicious and academic sentence in that last paragraph which is rather daring from the pen of a layman. "The insidious discouragement of the highbrow attitude to amateur art is a psychological disease." Now, my dear A. N. M., the grouping is all wrong. Not "highbrow" and amateur art, but "real art" and dabbling! And where the psychological disease comes in, according to an American, is that "Women used to be prostrated, now they take up sculpture." We are talking of the Art Club, so why drag in art? And Whistler, Corot, Van Gogh? I bet you that at least 75 per cent. of the Art Club members are wondering whether Van Gogh is the name of a French wine or an Italian cheese!

Now let me tell you why the artist's attitude to dilettantism is what it is. The experience in against the former expectations; the encouragement of dilettantism does not increase the number of real art-lovers. On the contrary, most dilettantes, as soon as they are able to draw a cat so that it resembles a cat, become tremendously self-important. The experience is that such people hardly ever buy a picture; they are very satisfied to cover the walls of their houses with their own. If you don't believe it, just take a look round. And in the rare cases when they do buy a picture, they show as a rule less judgment than other intellects. They are too busy painting to acquire judgment.

Let me tell you about one more thing: my own attitude toward the local Art Club. I don't care who is dabbling or what medium he or she is dabbling in—quietly at home. After all, it is less annoying to the neighbours than a saxophone. But it is a different thing to hold a public exhibition, call themselves an "Art" Club, and—here is where your Mammon comes in—put a price on the results of those afternoons when there is no bridge party.

I have often heard people exclaim against the mediocre performance in a local concert; or see the correspondence in the papers when there is a poor amateur broadcasting programme. Why should I be more lenient with the Art Club just because the average man's eye is less trained and less accustomed to discover a false note than his ear?

"Art to-day is a terrible problem," my dear A. N. M. One should not touch it with fumbling hands.

A. S. K.

### PHILATELIC EXHIBITION

Arranged For Dec.  
11 And 12

The first exhibition of the Hong Kong Philatelic Society will be held in the Board Room of the South China Morning Post on December 11 and 12, from 3 p.m. to 8 p.m. on each day.

The Exhibition will probably cover the whole world, but special exhibits of Chinese, British Colonial, United States and Hong Kong stamps will be featured. There will probably be no charge for admission.

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### FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT

#### Services At St. John's Cathedral

To-day is the first Sunday in Advent.

Holy Communion will be celebrated in the Lady Chapel at 8 a.m. and there will be Sung Eucharist (Merbecke's setting) and Sermon at 11 a.m. The Right Reverend Ronald, Bishop of Hong Kong, will preach.

Evensong will be sung at 6.30 p.m. at which The Reverend H. W. Baines will be the preacher.

Being the first Sunday in the month, a congregational practice of hymn singing will commence at 6 p.m. under the direction of the Organist, Mr. Lindsay Lafford, F.R.C.O.

### COLONY DEFENCE CONTRIBUTION

#### Twenty Per Cent. Of Revenues

An Ordinance to amend the Defence Contribution Ordinance of 1931 is published in the Government Gazette. One of the chief points in it is that a sum equivalent to 20 per cent. of the Colonial revenues shall be appropriated yearly to the Imperial Government as a contribution to the defence of the Colony.

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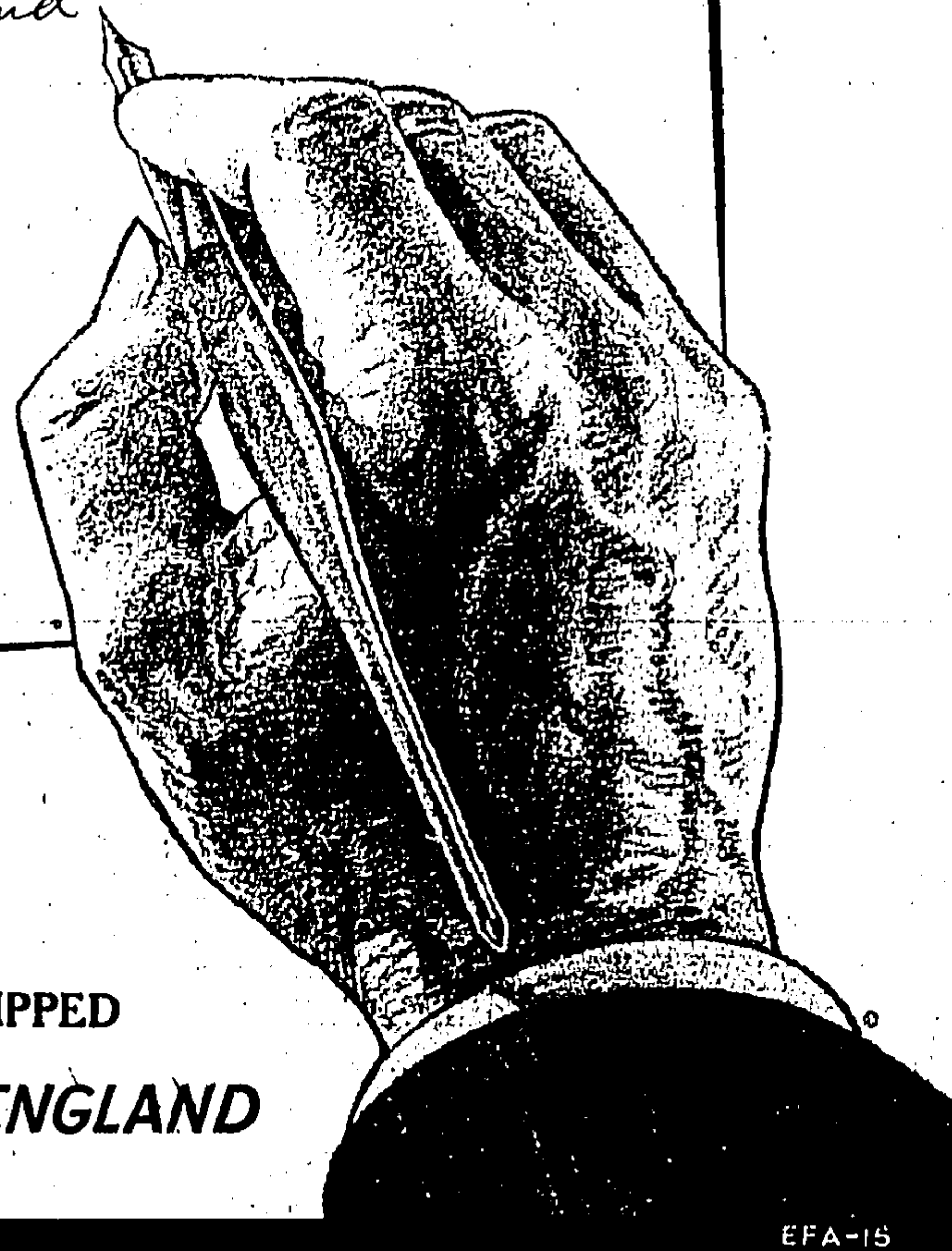
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# VIXEN TOR LEFT AT START BUT EASILY BEATS BOBNAK STAR

## GLADIATOR'S FINE WIN OVER KING'S WARDEN

### TWO DEAD-HEATS IN SPRINT EVENT

#### BOOTLE WINS EWO HANDICAP

VIXEN TOR'S sensational win over Bobnak Star after being left at the start, Gladiator's success over King's Warden by a comfortable margin and a thrilling finish to the Comrie Handicap, which resulted in two dead-heats, provided the main features of the Thirteenth Extra Race Meeting, which was held in perfect weather at the Valley yesterday.

A softish track following Friday's rain caused one or two upsets, Harvest View paying \$83 for a win, Tillicum \$41.10, Vixen Tor \$77.60 and Soldier of China \$83.60. The "double" combination of Gladiator and Mersey or Gladiator and Emergency Call paid \$79.80.

Mr. Leo Frost, the newly crowned 1935 champion jockey, carried off the riding honours with a win, a second and a third in six starts, while the Lan Stable proved triumphant with a win, a second and a third.

Only a very small crowd was present for the Ewo Handicap, despite the fact that the sun was shining brightly and there were no threatening clouds visible.

Mr. C. F. Chiu's Bootle (Mr. C. V. Eckford) won the annual handicap "classic" when, starting with an advantage of 150 yards, the biggest in the field of ten starters, he beat Lion Hunter (Mr. G. Hill, the newer player) by 3 lengths, Mersey (Mr. E. O. Gaubert) was only a head behind Lion Hunter for second place after a thrilling neck and neck struggle up the straight, while The Chetah was fourth.

Mr. Gardner fell off Wisdom Stag 50 yards from the post, and Mr. Nicholls came off Silver Fox at almost the same moment. Fortunately both were uninjured.

Bootle's win paid \$61.20 as the result of The Chetah's failure to overcome a concession of 150 yards.

#### Harvest View Surprises

Mr. Lan's Harvest View caused an upset in the Crieff Handicap, for which there were eight acceptances, leading all the way round to win comfortably in the slow time of 2.15.3. Monoplane came through with a fine finishing burst to secure second place, while Bistre looked as if he would have won but for the fact that he found himself blocked some 150 yards from the post. He finished strongly ahead of Pride of Tsingtao, the favourite, Harvest View's win paid \$83.00.

#### Tillicum's Easy Win

Another upset was witnessed in the Comrie Handicap when Mr. Butler signalled his return to the track after a brief absence by riding Tillicum to an easy win over Copper Idol. Philanderer, the favourite, was only a neck behind Copper Idol, but disappointed badly after being favourably placed at the start. Double Chance was fourth, while Festival Eve, a well favoured entry, finished nowhere after a bad start.

#### Favourite Wins

The Dunbar stable lost possession of the St. Andrew's Stakes when Mistake Bay, despite a big-hearted effort, failed to give Ribble, a hot favourite, and The Tiger 11 lbs. over 1 1/2 miles. Leaving his effort until the home straight, Mr. Paul Botelho brought Ribble home with a terrific rush, the rest of the field being left standing.

## HOW OWNERS FARED

The following was how the owners fared yesterday:

	1	2	3
Lan	1	1	1
Dr. Lee Shiu Kee	1	1	1
Y. M. Grayburn	1	0	0
Hem	1	0	0
Mr. E. H. M. Tinson	1	0	0
Why	1	0	0
Li Shiu Pong	1	0	0
Dr. J. C. McGowan	1	0	0
Tester and Abraham	1	0	0
Dynasty	1	0	0
E. S. K.	1	0	0
Laurels	1	0	0
Rain	1	0	0
Finder	1	0	0
Lee	1	0	0
E. L. Hoise	1	0	0
L. Dunbar	1	0	0
Major E. C. Boyd Shannon	1	0	0
Stephen Lam	1	0	0
Totals	8	0	0

There was a dead-heat first and second.

## ALTERNATIVE DOUBLE PAYS \$79.80

### "Daily Double" Statistics

The following were yesterday's "daily double" figures:  
1st Leg: Cyclamen Bay (75), Gladiator (460), King's Justice (70) and King's Warden (810).  
2nd Leg: Emergency Call (39), Gold Bullion (21), Invermark (5), Lime-light (6), Mersey (39), Nebular Star (42), Partnership (85), Seventeenth of September (123), Solar Star (40), The Decemster (13), The Rain Gauge (46), Tin Ho (7) and Warrington (17).

Deitz's determination over the last 10 yards.  
Solar Star led into the straight, but lacked a good enough finish, while The Rain Gauge, on the other hand, finished full of running.

### His First Win

Mr. H. A. Botelho had the distinction of riding his first winner at the Valley when Soldier of China triumphed in the Inverness Handicap, catching Bright Star 100 yards from the post to win by 2 lengths and pay \$83.60. Night View filled third place.

Detailed results were as follows:

### 1-2.00 P.M.—The "Ewo" Handicap.—(Unofficial).—For China Ponies. Classic Winners barred.

To be entered and ridden by Members of the Staff of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., and The Jardine Engineering Corporation, Ltd. Ponies to be the property of any Owner or Owners. Jockeys to be nominated with Entries. A Cup will be presented to the Winning Jockey. No Entrance Fee. No Stakes. One Mile. C. F. Chiu's Bootle 130 lb. (Mr. H. P. Hopkins) 1

Mrs. Stephen Lam's Lion Hunter 147 lb. (M. G. Hill) 2

Why's Mersey 180 lb. (Mr. E. O. Gaubert) 3

Also ran: Blacksmith, 158 lb. (Mr. C. F. Eckford); Kung, 168 lb. (Mr. R. T. Crowe); Lockstep, 165 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost); Silver Fox, 139 lb. (Mr. F. S. Nicholls); The Chetah, 150 lb. (Mr. D. L. Newbigging); Pi Fa, 145 lb. (Mr. E. O. Butler); and Wisdom Stag, 176 lb. (Mr. J. Gardner).

10 starters.

Won by 3 lengths, a head.

Pari-mutuel, winner \$61.20; places, 1st \$22.80; 2nd \$14.90; 3rd \$22.80.

### Winner Places

The Chetah ..... 60 97

Wisdom Stag ..... 50 66

Kung ..... 50 62

Pi Fa ..... 41 48

Lion Hunter ..... 42 54

Silver Fox ..... 38 60

Bootle ..... 31 31

Mersey ..... 25 39

Lockstep Hall ..... 17 30

Blacksmith ..... 17 18

### 2-2.30 P.M.—Crieff Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies. "C" Class. Winners of less than \$1,000 in stakes since 1st January, 1935, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 155 Yards).

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Also ran: High Honour, 158 lb. (Mr. G. U. da Roza); Pride of Tsingtao, 154 lb. (Mr. L. G. Frost); Soldier of Peace, 168 lb. (Mr. N. Deitz); Victoria Hall, 145 lb. (Mr. H. C. Pih); Ythan, 140 lb. (Mr. W. H. S. Davis); 8 starters.

Time: 2.14.3.

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### 3-3.00 P.M.—Comrie Handicap.—(First Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$100. For China Ponies. "D" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Five Furlongs.

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Won by 2 1/2 lengths, a neck.

Time: 1.14.3.

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Won by 1 1/2 lengths, a head.

Time: 3.10.4.

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Won by 1 1/2 lengths, 5 lengths.

Time: 2.09.2.

Pari-mutuel, winner \$12.40; places, 1st \$5.40; 2nd \$5.30.

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Pari-mutuel, winner \$77.60; places, 1st \$15.70; 2nd \$7.00; 3rd \$10.60.

## Have You Won?

Race 1  
No. 1812 ..... \$887.60  
" 788 ..... 253.60  
" 1193 ..... 126.80  
Unplaced runners (\$50 each).  
Nos.: 1937, 126, 1189, 1786, 574, 217, 1952.

Race 2  
No. 1600 ..... \$1,048.60  
" 1588 ..... 299.60  
" 207 ..... 149.80  
Unplaced runners (\$50 each).  
Nos.: 238, 946, 1017, 2251, 1495, 1639, 1927, 1163.

Race 3  
No. 1168 ..... \$1,020.60  
" 1388 ..... 291.60  
" 2310 ..... 145.80  
Unplaced runners (\$50 each).  
Nos.: 2341, 511, 260, 2267, 463, 2435, 1639, 1927, 1163.

Race 4  
No. 15 ..... \$1,275.40  
" 2650 ..... 364.40  
" 1681 ..... 182.20  
Unplaced runners (\$50 each).  
Nos.: 2398, 998, 1659, 1752.

Race 5  
No. 2746 ..... \$1,454.60  
" 2572 ..... 415.60  
" 478 ..... 207.80  
Unplaced runners (\$50 each).  
No.: 1399.

Race 6  
No. 1110 ..... \$1,362.20  
" 1337 ..... 389.20  
" 2817 ..... 194.60  
Unplaced runners (\$50 each).  
Nos.: 862, 144, 845, 2455, 1782.

Race 7  
No. 2859 ..... \$823.50  
" 987 ..... 823.50  
" 1091 ..... 91.50  
" 2214 ..... 91.50  
Unplaced runners (\$50 each).  
Nos.: 1874, 2556, 714, 2719, 1131, 1501, 1885, 1787, 1173.

Race 8  
No. 2481 ..... \$1,475.60  
" 2746 ..... 421.60  
" 923 ..... 210.80  
Unplaced runners (\$50 each).  
Nos.: 2751, 441, 1423, 3271, 2651, 536, 3138, 126.

Won by 1 1/2 lengths, a length.

Time: 2.15.3.

Pari-mutuel, winner \$83.00; places, 1st \$18.70; 2nd \$9.70; 3rd \$9.40.

### Winner Places

Pride of Tsingtao ..... 423 581

Bistre ..... 281 329

Monoplane ..... 249 313

Helman ..... 183 145

Victoria Hall ..... 104 163

Harvest View ..... 79 106

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Heart's Glory	231 271
Festival Eve	241 238
Double Chance	212 263
Tillicum	218 218
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Shooting Star	380 343
Atlas	269 234
Racing Heart	165 180
Saucy Face	143 168
Australian Boy	150 114
Derby Day	113 108
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## LAWN BOWLS CLOSING DAY AT TAIKOO

Successful Season  
Terminated

### LIST OF PRIZE-WINNERS

A very enjoyable afternoon was spent at the closing of the lawn bowls season at the Taikoo Dock Recreation Club yesterday, when teams captained by the two Vice-presidents met, resulting in Mr. K. E. Greig's team beating Mr. A. R. H. Phillips' by 20 shots.

After the game the season's prizes for the different lawn bowls competitions were presented by Mrs. A. R. H. Phillips, wife of one of the vice-presidents, after which Mr. S. F. Pollock, chairman of the Bowls Committee thanked all for contributing to such an enjoyable afternoon. He also complimented Mr. Summers on the way he had looked after their green and said that the Shanghai Interport team had remarked that it was one of the best in the Colony.

He also expressed the thanks of the Club to the Mr. T. F. Stainton the Hon. Secretary for the hard work he had done for the Club.

The following were yesterday's scores:

Mr. Phillips' team Mr. Greig's team  
R. C. Cameron J. R. Kinghorn  
A. R. H. Phillips K. E. Greig  
J. Finnie S. Pollock  
J. C. Chalmers R. C. Wallace  
(skip) 12 (skip) 21  
A. Humphreys W. Thompson  
Mrs. C. H. Summers

Mrs. W. Cunningham  
H. Harper F. Pattinson  
J. J. Whyte D. B. Bone  
(skip) 16 (skip) 15  
W. Pendergast G. A. Smith  
T. MacIntyre A. M. M. Stephen  
R. B. Bell J. Wald  
N. Drummond T. F. Stainton  
(skip) 5 (skip) 28  
A. Park E. Wilson  
Mrs. J. C. Polson Mrs. A. W. Norrie

T. Grimes Capt. Banner  
W. Cunningham J. C. Polson  
(skip) 19 (skip) 12  
D. McGowan T. J. Beattie  
Mrs. S. Pollock Mrs. J. C. Chalmers

A. W. Norrie J. Russell  
G. H. Stewart D. Peoples  
(skip) 17 (skip) 10  
69 89

### Prize-Winners

The following were the prize-winners in the different Club Bowls competitions:

Singles Championship—  
(Prize presented by Mr. A. R. H. Phillips)

1. J. C. Chalmers, 2. J. C. Polson, Singles Bowls Handicap—  
(Prize presented by Mr. J. Finnie)

1. J. C. Chalmers, 2. T. F. Stainton, Rink Competition—  
(Shield presented by Mr. Reid and replicas donated by Mr. K. E. Greig)

1. A. Park, F. Pattinson, W. Weid and G. H. Stewart, 2. J. Wald, D. McGowan, J. C. Polson and J. Watson

Renfrewshire Trophy—  
(Presented by Messrs. A. B. Mohr, A. M. M. Stephen and R. E. Bell)

1. J. Wald, F. Pattinson, J. C. Polson and D. Peoples, 2. T. Swan, T. MacIntyre, A. Stalker and G. H. Stewart

Fair Cup Competition—  
(Prize presented by Mr. T. S. Morrison)

1. J. C. Chalmers and S. Pollock, 2. R. C. Wallace and J. Wald, Weekly Wapinshaw Competition (Ladies Section)—

1. Mrs. W. Cunningham, 2. Mrs. S. Pollock, Weekly Wapinshaw Competition (Men's Section)—

1. J. C. Chalmers, 2. S. Pollock, Inter-department Rink Competition—

1. Woodworkers (D. Peoples, W. Pendergast, J. C. Polson, and J. C. Chalmers)

## PRAYER AND GIFT DAY

All-Day Vigil At  
St. Andrew's

An unprecedented event in the long history of St. Andrew's Church took place yesterday, when a Prayer and Gift Day was held.

From early in the morning until 7.30 last night, the Rev. J. R. Higgins, Vicar of St. Andrew's, kept a vigil in the church, while throughout the day members of the church prayed continuously, making changes every 15 minutes.

In the past it has been the custom to hold a Fete on or about St. Andrew's Day, in order to collect funds, and what took place yesterday was in the nature of an experiment. It is proved to be a success as it is likely that it will be held every year instead of the Fete.

Whatever is collected—and,



Members of the St. Andrew's Society and their guests arriving at the Peninsula Hotel for the annual Ball held there last Friday evening. ("Sunday Herald" photos.)

## SOUTH CHINA "B" RECREIO OUTPLAY

(Continued from Page 4)

Both backs defended soundly, with good understanding, and Pau Ka-ping, although not called upon to any great extent, was ever alert and correctly positioned.

The Recreio kicked off, and set up a long, but scrambling attack with no shots, until Gomes decided to have a try when poorly positioned. His weak effort was easily cleared by Pau.

Ho Ka-keung gave Lai Shui-wing a possible scoring chance, but the inside-right's shot travelled high over the bar.

### Gomes' Weak Effort

The Recreio had by far the best of the first half exchanges, but their close-passing methods down the centre proved futile against the closely packed South China goal.

Towards the end of the first half, the Recreio altered their play by giving the wingers a chance, with the result that the Chinese defence was drawn away from the goal, and it was then that they should have obtained a substantial lead.

As it was, Pau saved very easily from Castilho, while shots by Bertie, Gosano, Gomes and C. Marques went yards wide of the target. The best shot so far, was from Delgado, a drive from 20 yards which missed the upright by inches.

The second half was but a repetition of the first. Few exciting incidents occurred, unless the fact that the referee wisely brought the players together and warned them against wild tackling and other incidents of bad temper, can be called exciting.

A well placed corner-kick by Yeung Shui-yick looked dangerous for the Recreio, but "A.V." headed out well. Henry Young quickly returned the ball, however, and a desperate scramble took place in the Recreio goalmouth before V. Marques managed to hook the ball away and clear.

At the other end, Gomes drew the defence well over to the left with a clever run through, and then swung the ball hard over to the right, leaving C. Marques with a splendid scoring position, but he skied the ball high over the bar with a hasty kick!

The best move of the game came when Young pushed the ball forward to Ho, who immediately slipped it between Beltrao and V. Marques to the unmarked Yeung Shui-yick. The latter cut in at a tremendous pace, and his shot on the run flashed inches wide of the post—a swift raid that looked a goal all over.

A shot by Bertie Gosano struck the base of the upright, and the game ended with still no score, but the honours of a poor game in the Recreio's favour.

S. China "B"—Pau Ka-ping; Leung Yau-chau and Lee Kam; Yau Wai-hing; Lam Tak-po and H. Young; Yeung Shui-yick, Lai Shui-wing, Ho Ka-keung, Cheuk Shuk-kam and Leo Shek-yau.

Recreio—R. Marques; A. V. Gosano and Bowen; Delgado, Beltrao and V. Marques; C. Marques, Castilho, B. Gosano, Gomes and Alves.

Although the final figures were not available up to the time of going to press, there was a good response—will go to pay for certain repair works that have to be carried out to the Church and the Vicarage.

At Divine Service to day all the gifts received yesterday will be offered and the amount received announced.

## CLOSING DAY AT THE K.B.G.C.

Vice-President's Team Wins Match

A bowls match between two teams, one under the captaincy of the President and the other named the Vice-President's team won by 176 shots to 146, marked the official closing of the bowls season at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club yesterday afternoon.

Sixteen rinks participated and when the match was concluded the President of the Club, Mr. W. E. Hale, addressed the members and the visitors, before calling upon his wife to distribute the prizes won, for both bowls and tennis, during the year, and also silver spoons to winners of the afternoon's game.

The following were the rink results of yesterday's match:

Vice-President's team President's team

G. Sherriff 21 C. B. Hosking 14  
J. C. Meyer 23 H. Nish 28  
W. S. Drake 22 P. T. Farrell 21

J. Harvey 15 A. M. Holland 20  
J. Fraser 23 L. Guy 16  
R. Lapsley 10 W. Russell 35  
S. Gray 22 F. Goodman 17  
W. E. Hale 10 J. C. Brown 25

146 176

The following were the prize winners in the Club competitions:

LAWN BOWLS Club Championship  
1. R. Duncan, 2. A. S. Russell, 3. V. Petherick.

President's Prize  
1. V. Petherick, 2. H. Nish, 3. R. Duncan.

Vice-President's Cup  
1. L. Guy, 2. T. Armstrong, 3. V. Petherick.

Handicap Singles  
1. A. S. Russell, 2. T. Armstrong, 3. L. Duncan.

Handicap Pairs  
1. J. C. Meyer and K. C. Hamilton, 2. C. B. Hosking and S. A. Bright, Non-Prize-winners' Competition

1. J. E. Henson, 2. L. A. R. Duncan, Wapinshaw Competition  
1. G. Ross, 2. A. K. Taylor, 3. A. W. Meloy.

LAWN TENNIS Club Championship  
1. J. L. Totley, 2. D. W. Waterton.

Handicap Singles  
1. Captain S. Barling, 2. D. W. Waterton.

Handicap Doubles  
1. T. Armstrong and J. L. Totley, 2. R. Miller and D. Morris.

LADIES' TENNIS Handicap Singles  
1. Mrs. Boyce, 2. Mrs. Bland, Non-Prize-winners' Competition

1. Mrs. Armstrong, 2. Mrs. Boyce, Handicap Doubles  
1. Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Lawton, 2. Mrs. Boyce and Mrs. Gall.

Mixed Doubles (Handicap)  
1. Mrs. Armstrong and J. L. Totley, 2. Mrs. Boyce and D. Morris.

## RECREIO LADIES' BADMINTON

"B" Team Sustain First Defeat

On last Thursday afternoon at King's Park the third match in the Club de Recreio Ladies Badminton Tournament was decided, when the "B" team sustained their first defeat at the hands of the "C" team by 40 aces to 50.

The results of the match were as follows:

Miss G. Silva and Miss L. Silva-Netto ("B" Team) lost to Miss Olga Robello and Miss G. Almada 10-21

Miss Stella Xavier and Miss E. Robello ("B" Team) lost to Mrs. H. W. da Rosa and Miss A. Remedios 15-21

Miss Myra Noronha and Miss Car-

## CONSULAR MEETING

Japanese Officials Confer

SCHEMES FOR BUSINESS EXPANSION DISCUSSED

A private meeting of all the Japanese Consuls and Consuls-General in the South of China was held at the residence of Mr. M. Mizusawa, the Consul-General for Japan in Hong Kong, in Conduit Road yesterday afternoon.

According to the Secretary of the Japanese Consulate, the meeting was held under instructions received from the Foreign Office at Tokyo. Newspaper reporters were not allowed to attend the meeting, but on being questioned afterwards Mr. Mizusawa stated that nothing but business expansion schemes and passport problems were discussed. Mr. Mizusawa will leave for Canton either to-morrow or the day after.

The most important official attending the meeting was Mr. Sakamoto, Chief of the Foreign Office Section in Formosa. The others were Mr. Mizusawa, Consul-General in Hong Kong, Mr. Kawai, Consul-General at Canton, Mr. Nakamura, Consul-General at Poochow, Mr. Harada, Consul at Swatow and Mr. Yamada, Consul at Amoy.

Considerable Interest In Canton

DOMINATION OF FINANCIAL MARKETS?

(From Our Own Correspondent)

The Hong Kong meeting of Japanese Consuls from Canton, Swatow, Amoy and Poochow and high Japanese officials from Formosa, which was held to-day, raises considerable interest here.

Although the official reason is that the meeting is but an unofficial exchange of views among Japanese Consuls and colonial officials in Formosa, it is understood that the gathering will evolve a plan to extend Japanese trade and political activities in South China.

Hong Kong is a depot for Japanese goods, which are shipped from there to all parts of South China. Customs returns in Canton show that the volume of Japanese imports is steadily increasing.

Certain Asian aliens are buying Canton silver coins at high rates. This effort is believed here to be an attempt to dominate the financial markets in Canton and South China.

THE AMBULANCE DANCE

Very Enjoyable Function

The informal dance given by the St. John Ambulance Brigade and Association at their Headquarters, Tai Hang, last night, proved an unqualified success, the large number of people attending unanimously voting it a "jolly good show."

During the evening bridge and mah jong were played while Miss Elvino Yuen, of Radio fame, delighted with a song, Miss Ethel Banker making a very sympathetic accompanist. The Chinese Sword Dance given by the Misses Wong Fung-lau and Leo Hon-fan was also very well received.

Dancing took place in the spacious hall of the Headquarters to the strains of some excellent music supplied by the Blue Rhythm Orchestra, and among those present were Mr. Alfred Morris, Director of the Brigade, Dr. and Mrs. W. B. A. Moore, Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Valentino, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. D. Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ralston, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rumjahn, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Paul, Dr. and Mrs. Devoey, Engr. Comdr. and Mrs. H. J. White, Dr. Ma Luk and party, Mr. F. H. Kwok and party, Mr. William C. Lowe, Miss L. Wong Yung, Dr. G. I. Shaw, Mr. A. el Arculli, Capt. Dalla, Dr. T. W. Ware and many others.

The following were the prize winners:

Auction Bridge—Mrs. Macdonald and Mr. A. el Arculli.

Contract Bridge—Mrs. Ralston and Mr. Ferrin.

Mah Jong—Mrs. Ma Luk and Mrs. Casey, Booby, Mrs. Ad H. Rumjahn.

men Botelho ("B" Team)—best Miss M. Silva and Miss E. Remedios 21-8

"B" team aggregate 46; "C" team aggregate 50.



This picture was NOT taken at St. Andrew's Ball, but only shows some of the guests at a hilarious party in Hollywood, held to celebrate the coming-of-age of Jackie Coogan, and incidentally, his acquisition of the \$1,000,000 fortune built up for him by his earnings as a minor. The comic Scotman on the right is Bert Wheeler, Woolsey's alter ego, clearly showing his Turkish proclivities. The one holding the hat is Maxie Rosenbloom, former light heavyweight boxing champion of the world.

## ST. PAUL'S CHURCH CONCERT

Charming Singing By All-Chinese Choir

EXCELLENT PROGRAMME

A most interesting and enjoyable concert was given last night at St. Paul's Church, all the performers, with the exception of Mr. Lindsay Lafford, at the organ, being Chinese. To one who had hitherto heard nothing but the harsh, nasal, tuneless Chinese "operating" singing, which is torture to a sensitive European ear, the wonderful purity and sweetness of the girls' voices came as a delightful surprise. The men's voices were not on the same plane, lacking depth and fullness, but they were as true on the notes as those of their sister singers.

Mrs. E. L. Lum is the possessor of a sweet, pure, soprano, with greater power and volume in the upper than the lower register, which was heard to advantage in her solo "Come Unto Me." Mr. O. Y. Lyen, an expectant of marked ability, gave three well-rendered violin solos, the third being the charming "Berceuse" of Rudolf Friml. Of Mr. Lindsay Lafford's organ contributions there is no need to speak, except to mention appreciatively his rendering of two dainty morceaux by Wolstenholme, "The Question" and "The Answer."

One very delightful item given by the Choir was an old Chinese air, a "Farewell Song" harmonised in the Western scale. The choirmaster and conductor, Mr. Andrew Chan, is to be heartily congratulated on the Choir's performance.

The following was the programme:—Organ Solo: Mr. L. A. Lafford "First Sonata" (Mendelssohn)

The Choir: (a) "Wilt Thou Not Visit Me" H. M. Butler

(b) "Christ Being Raised From The Dead" W. H. Gill

Violin Solo: Mr. O. Y. Lyen "Sonata in E" (Handel)

Male Quartette: "In Heavenly Love Abiding"

The Choir: (Chinese Tune) Organ Solo: Mr. L. A. Lafford "The Question" (W. Wolstenholme)

The Choir: "Rejoice In The Lord" (Finley Lyon)

The Choir: "I will lift up mine eyes" (J. C. Whitfield)

Organ Solo: Mr. L. A. Lafford "The Answer" (W. Wolstenholme)

Vocal Solo: Mrs. B. Lum "Come Unto Me" (W. Coenen)

Violin Solo: Mr. O. Y. Lyen (a) "Melodie" (Gluck-Kreiser)

(b) "Berceuse" (Rudolf Friml)

The Choir: (a) Come, And Let Us Return" (W. Jackson)

(b) "How Beautiful Upon The Mountains" (R. A. Smith)

Organ Solo: Mr. L. A. Lafford "Prelude and Fugue in E Minor" (Bach)

CRAIGENGOWER WHIST DRIVE

The fortnightly whist drive and tombola held at the Craigengower Cricket Club last night was well attended. The whist prizes for the ladies were won by Mrs. Beatrice Ramsey and Mrs. Jones, while the gentlemen's prizes were won by Mr. Hall and Mr. Arnold.

## THIRTEEN CLUB MEN HOLD ARMY AT THE VALLEY

Butcher's Best Game In Colony

DEANE AND MCGILCHRIST INJURED

Packing 3-2-1 and playing with only 13 men in the second half, the Club beat the Army after a terrific struggle by three goals and a try (18 points) to two goals and a try (13 points) in their friendly rugby match at the Valley yesterday.

There were many hard knocks taken by both sides, but the civilians suffered the most and just before the interval Deane left the field for good with a badly wrenched foot, McGillchrist following him with a sprained ankle soon after the commencement of the second half.

With Peers filling in the gap in the threequarter line and Deane away, the remaining six Club forwards were given a very strenuous time against the Army pack, but emerged triumphant, although the healing was by no means as good as before.

Army Backs Well Marked With Dayles away, however, the Army backs, especially their right-wing comprising Rice-Evans and Jones, were not as good as usual, their opposite numbers tackling much too well for their liking.

Hutchinson and Floyd, however, were a very dangerous pair, the former's clever side-step and the latter's swerve giving the Club defence many anxious moments.

Good Fly-Half Evans made an ideal stand-off half and was off the mark like a bullet, very often sending his threequarters away before the civilians got to know what it was all about.

Robertson was not as good as usual in defence, but McGillchrist made a welcome return by scoring two good tries. Fielden, on the other wing, was not having everything his own way, but both centres, Powell and Scott, were hard-workers.

Superb Handling Butcher played his best game to date, his handling being superb throughout, while he scored a magnificent try. Walkden, Deane and Peers were the pick of the pack.

Floyd opened the scoring for the Army for Gillespie to add the points, but McGillchrist gathered a long pass from Powell soon after to ground wide of the posts, Robertson adding the points with a grand kick to bring the scores level. Just before the interval McGillchrist added his second try, but Robertson failed with the kick. Deane was injured at this stage and left the field.

In the second half the Club went further ahead through Scott, who cleverly intercepted a pass to ground near the posts, Robertson converting. Soon after, Butcher broke clean through the Army defence from a scrum on the 25-yard line and converted his own effort. In running for the ball McGillchrist twisted his ankle and left the field for good.

From this stage the Army held the upper hand and Ap-Rhys-Phyche broke through from a 5-yard scrum for Gillespie to add the goal points. Soon after Carter scored the Army's third try, but Gillespie's kick failed. No side was given soon after.

Mr. D. W. MacEwen refereed and the teams were: Club—L. G. Robertson (Captain); H. R. McGillchrist, A. M. W. Scott, C. J. Powell and L. J. A. Fielder; J. L. Bonnar and A. H. R. Butcher; W. E. Peers, G. S. Chambers, F. J. McGugan; E. P. Humphreys, A. F. Walkden; B. O'M. Deane; J. H. McElroy and M. S. Cumming.

Army—Fus. Barry (Fullback), Fus. Floyd (Fullback), L/Bdr. Hutchinson (Fullback), Lt. Rice-Evans (Capt.) (Fullback) and L/Cpl. Jones (Fullback), Dmr. Evans (East Lancs.) and Spr. Carter (R.E.); Capt. Ap-Rhys-Phyche (Fullback), Lt. B. L. E. Hobert (R.A.), Gnr. Hall (R.A.); L/Cpl. Harris (East Lancs.) and Fus. Morgan (Fullback); Spr. Cullinan (R.E.), Gnr. Wright (R.A.) and Capt. Gillespie (R.E.).

all too infrequent in local concerts, sang "Sea Fever" with excellent expression. (Mrs. Anderson Miller, sang two solos beautifully, while Mr. S. McNeill's humorous Lancashire monologues absolutely "brought down the house.")

"All concerned are to be congratulated on their efforts.

## DORSETSHIRE'S RUGBY WIN

Combined Side Lose Exciting Match

Full-Backs Shine

An excellent rugby game between a combined side comprising the Club, Navy and Army and H.M.S. Dorsetshire was witnessed on the Club ground yesterday, when the ship's team won by a goal and a penalty goal (8 points) to nil, after a scoreless first half. Both sides were very evenly matched, grim tackling and fine threequarter movements being the outstanding features of the game.

The two full-backs, Preece, for the combined side, and Thomas, for the Dorsetshire, were outstanding, while Metcalfe and Munro were the pick of the three-quarters on display. North-Lewis was the best of the halves.

Thomas opened the scoring in the second half with a penalty goal and soon after Fraser went over for Thomas to add the points.

Combined XV:—Fus. Preece (R.W.F.); H. Forsyth (Club), L/Cpl. Jeffries (R.W.F.), K. A. Munro (Club) and Lt. Metcalfe (R.A.); Lt. North-Lewis (Folkstone) and K. E. Aiers (Club); S. H. Garrod (Club), Spr. Rumball (R.E.), Bdr. McBride (R.A.), Fus. Chaney (R.W.F.), Spr. Haytor (R.E.), Lieut. Harrison (E.L.), Capt. Anderson (R.A.M.C.) and Gnr. Martin (R.A.).

Dorsetshire:—C. P. O. Thomas; Lt. Lane, Lt. Fraser, Lt. Kirkwood and Mtd. Wright; Mrs. Preece and A. B. Tucker; Lt. Cochrane, P. O. Wyman, Mne. Light, A. B. Walker, A. B. Bell, A. B. May, Lt. Christie and A. B. Evans.

## UNION CHURCH CONCERT

Many Talented Local Artists Take Part

PROCEEDS TO AID THE CHURCH FUNDS

The Union Church Hall was crowded to capacity last night when a concert, arranged by that well-known organiser, Mr. J. Anderson Miller, was given. The proceeds went to augment the Church funds.

The programme was remarkably well-balanced, and some of the most talented artists in the Colony took part.

The proceedings opened with a part song, "He That Hath A Pleasant Face", rendered by the members of the Hong Kong Chinese Choral Society, who were conducted by Mr. Anderson Miller. This was followed by a solo by Mr. W. J. Phelps, and then Mr. John Braga gave a splendid violin interpretation of "Melody" and "Chanson Hindoue."

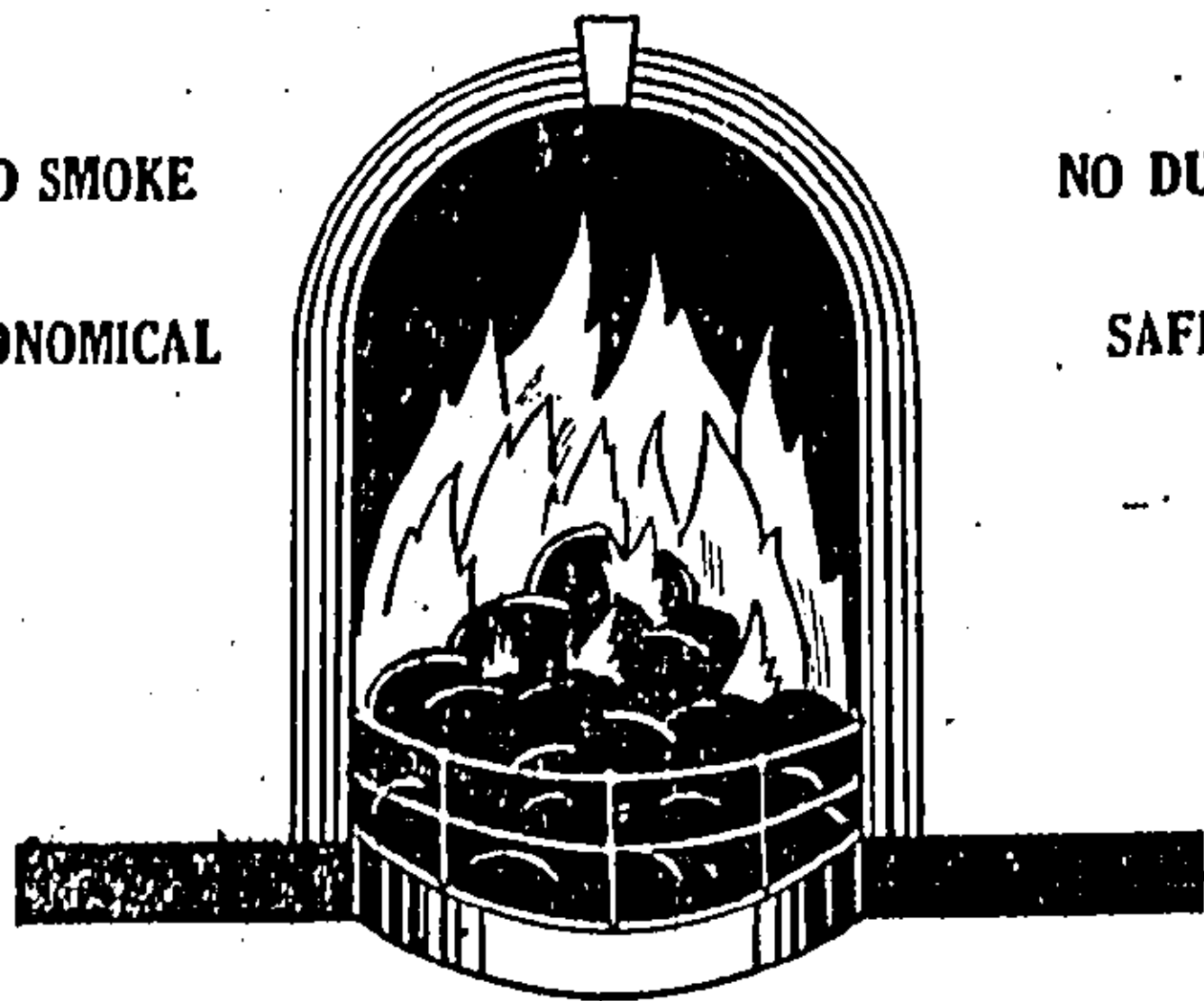
New Minister That popular entertainer, the Rev. Cyril Brown, whose repertoire is so extensive as to suggest either a very retentive memory or a remarkable turn of native wit, was one of the highlights of the programme. His oblique references to the arrival of the new minister of the Church (the Rev. J. Maclean), succeeded in "catching" the audience immediately, and bursts of spontaneous mirth continued until the curtain fell.

Captain O. F. Joyce, the possessor of a very clear and true baritone voice, and whose appearances are

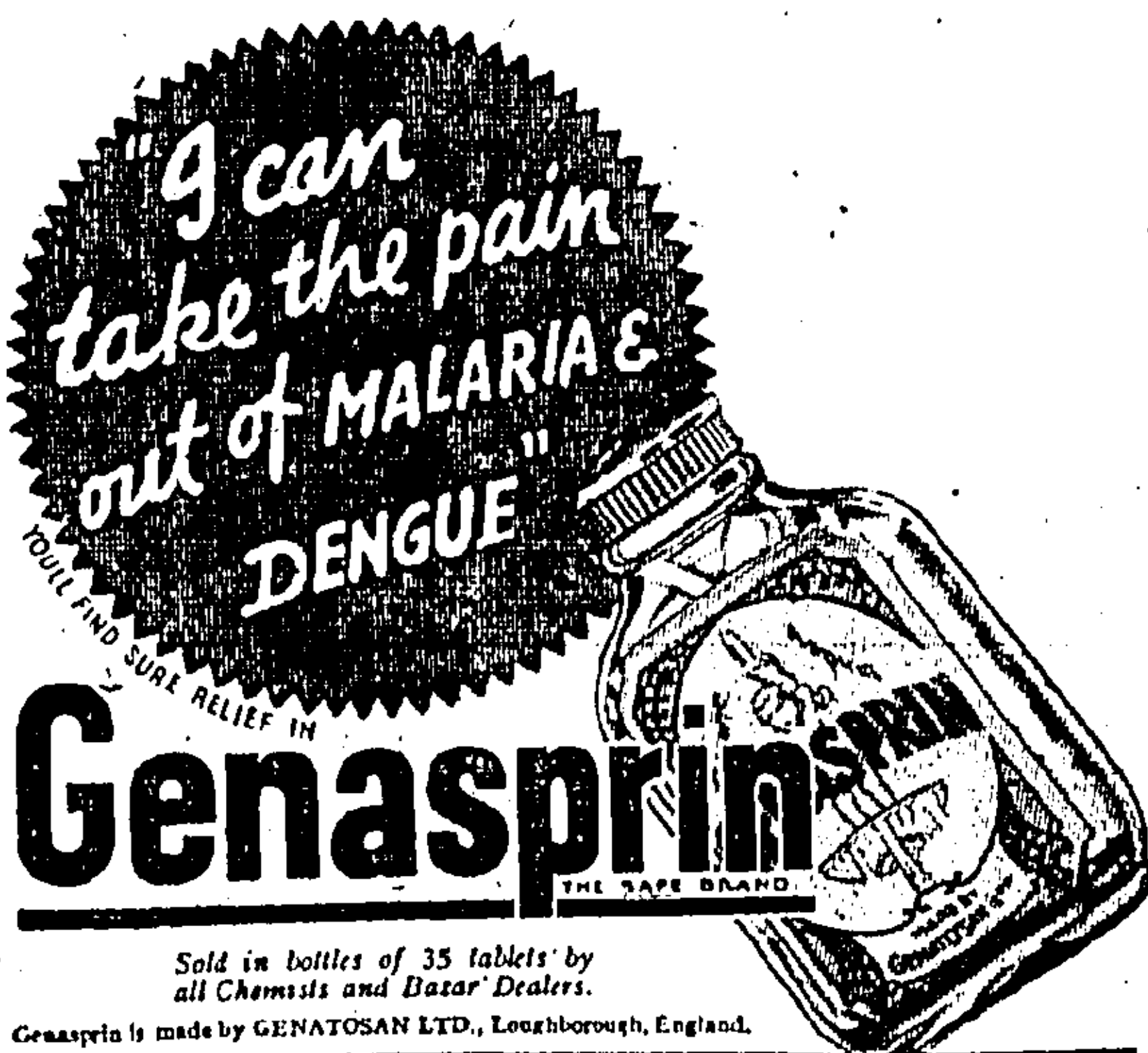


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**FABULOUS ANIMALS OF CHINA****THE UNICORN, SYMBOL OF BENEVOLENCE****HEAVENLY DONOR OF WISE AND VIRTUOUS CHILDREN**

(By PHYLLIS JURY)

THE Unicorn appears at those happy times when sages are born. It is said that when Confucius was about to be born a unicorn appeared to his mother. The wondrous animal knelt before her and placed at her feet a slip of jade, on which was the inscription: "The son of the essence of water shall succeed to the withering Chow and be a throneless king." The mother then tied a piece of embroidered ribbon around its horn and the animal disappeared.

So it was that during his life Confucius was called "The Elf of the Unicorn." The legend goes on to say that before his death a strange and mysterious animal was caught by a hunting party. Only Confucius knew it to be a Unicorn, and when he saw that on its horn was the piece of ribbon his mother had attached to it he was much affected and cried out: "The course of my doctrine is run."

**Confucian Legends**

As the Unicorn is so closely connected with Confucius, whose ambition was to form a plan of perfect government, the creature is often taken as the symbol of this idea. There is a saying, "The Unicorn has but one horn, so the world should have but one ruler." According to another legend Confucius had the habit of dreaming that he wandered in a strange land. Once in his dream he saw a wonderful red light with rays that reached to the very clouds. Amazed, he called his disciples and drove to the place where he had seen the light. There he found a village through which a child was riding on a limping unicorn. Moved to pity at the sight of the animal, Confucius descended to examine its wounded foot and to his surprise saw in its mouth a book which the animal presented to him. In this Confucius read that a great Emperor possessing the virtue of five would rule the nation after the Chow dynasty. Later generations regarded this as foretelling the coming of the great rulers of the Han dynasty.

**Giver Of Sons**

Since the Unicorn appears in times of peace and prosperity and portends the birth of sages, the Chinese believe that they must worship it in order to obtain wise and virtuous children. A favourite marriage gift is a picture of a unicorn bestowing a child on parents and bearing the inscription: "The Unicorn that grants

children." Such a gift is always a good omen and is received with much pleasure. The newly-married woman hangs this picture in her room or on the door of her apartment, hoping thereby to give birth to sons. The goddesses to whom women pray for children too are often represented riding on a Unicorn and bearing a child in their arms.

There is an old custom of placing the picture of a boy riding a unicorn in front of the bridal sedan when the bride is brought to the home of the bridegroom. And at the Feast of Lanterns a kind of lantern representing a boy riding a unicorn is frequently given by a Chinese to his friend, the significance being that he wishes his friend may have a very bright son. A bright child of unusual talent and promise is called "son of a Unicorn" or "gift of a Unicorn" or even "a child that can ride a Unicorn."

**Spirit Of Benignity**

The Unicorn, according to the ancient Chinese, is the noblest form of animal creation and is a creature full of gentleness. "It walks and is joyful. Wherever he goes he carries the spirit of spring." Its horn is the symbol of benevolence, for it ends in a fleshy substance, showing that it has no desire to fight or harm any living thing. It is pictured as resembling a stag in its body and a horse in its hoofs, but possessing the tail of an ox and a scaly body. It always has a bare place which begins at the throat and extends over the chest, under the body and to the tip of its tail. Its mane and its tail consist of straight hair and groups of spiral whorls. Its body is supposed to be composed of five elements: earth, air, water, fire and ether, but generally it is said to represent the spirit of fire. Its call is musical, and although its movements are stately and its step is light, so as to leave no footprint, it can be the swiftest of all animals, cunningly avoiding the snares of hunters.

**A Celestial Steed**

Often represented as the steed of gods and fairies, it is related that a feminine sage from the Western Paradise once honoured the Emperor Wu Ti with a visit. The Emperor bowed before her and requested that she reveal to him the secrets of Tao. Thereupon she replied that an understanding of the doctrine was beyond his human understanding, but nevertheless she presented him with a book entitled "Spirit Flying," dealing with the mystic rites of the Taoist religion. Then she mounted her unicorn steed and in a moment had disappeared. Represented in such a manner in Chinese pictures the Unicorn is always a most colourful and decorative creation.

Wen Kung of the Tang dynasty wrote: "That the Unicorn is a spiritual being is beyond all doubt." Hymned in the "Odes," immortalised in "Springs and Autumns," it has found a place in the writings of all ages. Women and children alike know that it is a portent of good.

**MUST BE SANE!****Made \$75,000 During The Depression**

Kanakee—Success on the Stock Exchange during the worst years of the depression secured Mr. James A. Reisenhaus' release from an insane asylum.

To prove his sanity Mr. Reisenhaus produced records to show that he had made \$75,000 speculating in stocks and shares since 1930. The judge agreed that this was good evidence of sanity.

"No man can make that much money these days on the Stock Exchange and be insane," the judge remarked, giving his decision.—Reuter.

**PAN-AMERICAN CO. SPANS PACIFIC****EIGHT YEARS OF PROGRESS****GREAT ACCOMPLISHMENT TO CREDIT OF AVIATION**

Since that memorable evening in 1927 when a young man named Lindbergh set his Ryan monoplane, using Mobiloil, down safely on Le Bourget, aviation has progressed steadily toward the establishing of scheduled service linking the old world with the new. Eight intervening years have seen almost unbelievable advances in aircraft operation. Safety, reliability, range, comfort, speed—all have reached a state bordering on perfection. But, until to-day, no one has made a really serious attempt at a trans-oceanic passenger service.

**First Flight**

During the past year plans have been studied, routes charted and now the first unit of the new trans-Pacific fleet has made its first Pacific flight from San Francisco to Manila.

An organization for the trans-Pacific run has been set up, and many thousands of miles of training flights over the 1,200-mile course between Miami and Puerto Rico is but a small part of the training the trans-Pacific personnel receive.

The trans-Pacific division is expected to be in full operation early in 1936. The gaps it must span on its way to the Orient, in addition to the 2,410 miles from California to Hawaii, are 1,380 miles to Midway Island, 1,248 to Wake Island, 1,450 to Guam, 1,600 to Manila and 700 thence to connect up with its 3,000 mile system of affiliated air lines in China Proper.

The 190 mile-an-hour Sikorsky, with which the initial flights over this route are to be made, has been equipped with extra fuel tanks which give it a non-stop operating radius of more than 3,000 miles, with a pay load of mail or express, the passenger seats having been removed to make room for gasoline. "Clipper No. 7," first of Pan-American's three new Glenn L. Martin flying boats, shown in the Magazine Section, is constructed of duralumin and will weigh 23,000 lbs. empty and 51,000 lbs. loaded. Four Pratt and Whitney double-row engines of 800 h.p. each will furnish the power, which is expected to produce a speed of three miles per minute. The "Clipper No. 7" carries 48 passengers and will use Mobiloil and Stanavo Gasoline (Socony Gasoline's flying sister products).

**MOTORING****FROM MONTREAL TO MEXICO****Remarkable Journey Of Ford Cars****CROSSING AN UNFINISHED RIVER-BRIDGE**

This year for the first time motorists have been able to get through to Mexico City on the new highway under construction by the Mexican Government. The beautiful capital of Mexico previously could not be reached by motor from the United States, because there was a gap of 400 miles without a practicable motor road on the route between Monterey and Mexico City. Much of the route is through mountains and the new road is a considerable engineering feat.

Although the road is by no means completed, a considerable number of cars went through during recent months, among them a caravan of three Ford V-8 cars from Montreal, Canada, carrying delegates to the conventions of Lions International in Mexico City. The journey to Mexico City and return was made in 20 days of driving over approximately 6,500 miles. No mechanical troubles were experienced, although in places, especially in the mountains, the road was rough and somewhat hazardous. At one place in Mexico, Tamazunchale, the only river ferry was sunk by a motorbus from New Jersey which proved too heavy for it. Some 60 motor cars, including the Canadian group, were held up for a time by this, until the engineer in charge of the construction of

**LOCALS****Big Wedding Dinner**

The dinner-party given at the Kwong Chow Restaurant, West Point, last Saturday, by Mr. Yu Ah-tim, compradore of the Naval Dockyard, in celebration of the wedding of his son, Mr. Yu Wai-wah, to Miss Au Un-plk, was a very gay affair, lasting well into the "wee sma' oors" of Sunday morning. Some hundreds of guests in all sat down, including most of the Europeans who were present at the wedding, earlier in the day, at the Gloucester Hotel, a full report of which appeared in the last issue of the *Sunday Herald*. Among the prominent Chinese guests were Messrs. Ip Lan-chuen, Wong Tak-kwong, Tam Woon-tong, Ho Wing, Ngan Shing-kwan, Cheung Yu-pui, C. F. Lee, Wu Cheuk-ting, Fun Man-sui, Chau Ping-ung, Li Heung-kok, Tong Shuk-pui, Kwok Lu-ting, Yu Cheuk-sang, U Sze-wing, Cheng Ying-sung, Lau Yam-shan, Sze Kung-pok, Leung Ying-kuen, Chan Yu-tin, Tao Kwai-pang, Lam Tan-chiu, Ko Lo-chi, Nip Kan-ting, Kwok Kwan-mul, Ho Hong-po and many other well known members of the Chinese community.

**Hong Kong's Own Pianist**

HONG KONG is lucky in being able to claim Miss Fay Litt for its own. She comes of a musical Shanghai family and is herself a pianist. Her brother, Monya Litt, with whom she had often played, is now a B.B.C. star and plays in a famous London band.

"Miss Litt plays everything beautifully," as I heard a local music enthusiast say, but she most enjoys playing Hungarian gipsy and Spanish music. Indeed, she composes music of this type herself. You will enjoy hearing her broadcast locally very soon. Miss Litt pays Hong Kong the compliment of "having everything that Shanghai hasn't!"

**Helena May Innovations**

THE Annual General Meeting of the Helena May Institute was held last Wednesday morning. Of course there was a large gathering present and Mrs. R. M. Henderson, the President, gave a review of the year's work, making special reference to the new heating system of which they are just proud.

The Helena May has something new to offer its members which, for many, will add greatly to the pleasure of the next summer. A matshed has been taken at Repulse Bay which will be available for members both morning and afternoon. Actually the matshed was opened this summer, but hitherto not all the members knew of it.

Another item of interest is the religious meetings held at the Helena May every Friday morning. There is always an interesting talk given by the Bishop or another of the local clergyman, and anyone interested is welcome to attend.

**Enjoyable Club Dance**

THE Y's Men's Club dance last Tuesday night was a tremendous success. There were almost three hundred people present at the dance and one and all seemed to spend a very enjoyable evening. The Roof Garden was attractively decorated and harmonised with the festive spirit of the evening. After a Chinese dinner there was, besides dancing, both bridge and mah jongg.

The Y's Men are to be congratulated on the success of the evening and the amount that was collected to aid the free school which they maintain.

Among those present were Sir William Hornell, Professor Gerard, Dr. Kotewall, Mr. M. K. Lo, Mr. Y. K. Chow, the President of the Club, Dr. Arthur Woo, Mr. Amps, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sin, Dr. F. I. Tseng, J. Choa, P. C. Kwok, Peter Wong, William G. Poy, Y. L. Pao, Dr. Li Shu Pui and Dr. S. W. Phoon.

A modern steel highway-bridge at the Mexican town solved the problem for them. He order I-beams to be laid on their sides, and to end, on the stringers of the uncompleted bridge, at the correct distance apart for the wheel-tread of automobiles, and the cars were driven across in the trough of the I-beams in perfect safety.

**GALA NIGHT AT H.K. HOTEL****Hollywood Entertainers To Appear****DANCING NEXT SATURDAY UNTIL 2 A.M.**

With the advent of the approaching seasonable festivities participants of week-end dinner dances look forward to attractive entertainment during the intervals between dances, and as in the past the management of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels, Ltd., have engaged some accomplished artists to feature at their several popular establishments to provide for the enjoyment of patrons.

It will be recalled that these functions last season were productive of sparkling enthusiasm, and all who were in attendance on the numerous occasions will doubtless visualise the particularly attractive turns then produced, when teams of exceptionally accomplished visiting exponents of variety numbers suited the purpose.

**Sparkling Innovations**

Innovations of a sparkling nature to stimulate the warmth of these festivities are in the offing, and the Hong Kong Hotel will make a commencement by opening its session with a Gala Night in the Grill and Ball Room next Saturday. On this occasion our old favourites Cowan and Bailey will perform with piano, banjo and song. The troupe includes also Ted and Evelyn, rhythm and tap dancers, direct from the Hollywood Studios, and Estelle Davis, Mistress of Ceremonies.

A very enjoyable night is promised, when dancing will be continued until 2 a.m., and as there is sure to be a heavy booking it is suggested that early reservations be effected.

**FATHER HOLDS THE BABY****Classes Proposed For Vienna****SECONDARY TO MOTHER**

Vienna.—Father, in future, should not only provide for baby but also hold it.

Such is the opinion of experts on baby treatment here, who add that he is destined to play a larger part in family life; but needs educating up to it.

For this purpose, Vienna, which eight years ago was the first city in Europe to organise a "School For Mothers," is to carry on the good work by adding to it a "School For Fathers."

The courses to be followed are based on two principles that seem all in favour of Mother:

**"Supreme Command"**

Father must remember that when Mother is at home she is in "supreme command" of the children. He must not interfere.

He must know how to look after the children, however, when she is out shopping or has gone to the pictures.

But as with every good tale, the ending lies in the end.

In order that "positive results" may be achieved, the classes will be run under the supervision of the pupils' mothers or mothers-in-law, who have been asked to collaborate.—Reuter.

**KISSES ACROSS A FRONTIER****Family Man Marooned In Canada****Niagara Falls.**

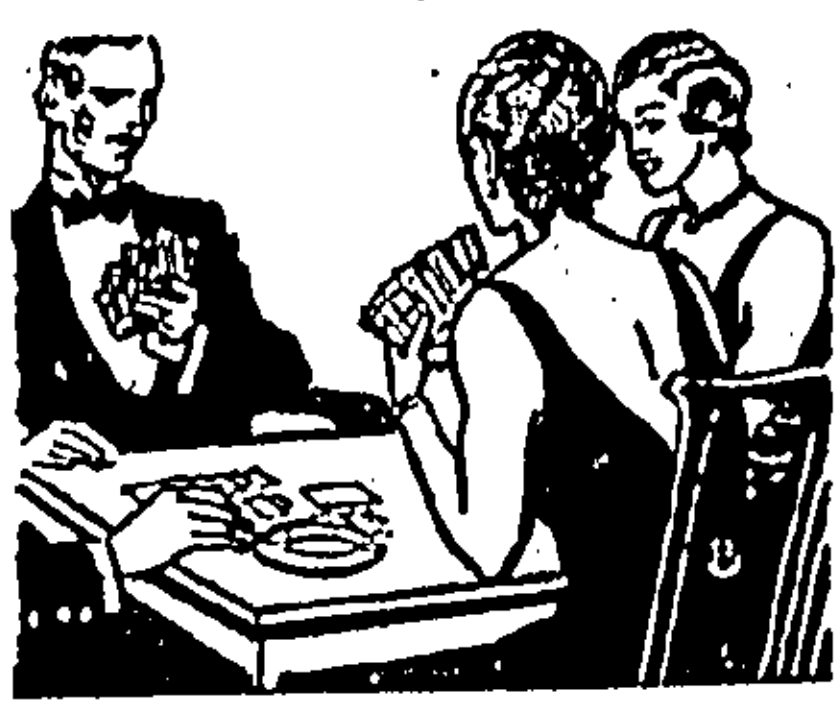
When John Blasucci wants to kiss his wife and two daughters he has to lean across an international frontier to do so.

He is separated from his family, who are in the United States, by the immigration laws. A minor irregularity in his papers prevents him for the time being leaving Canada.

Every day Mr. Blasucci and his daughters walk to the middle of the international bridge here and spend some while conversing with the isolated man.—Reuter.



## CONTRACT BRIDGE



## SIFTING OUT THE SYSTEMS

(By Lieut.-Col. H. M. BEASLEY)

If any evidence is necessary of the rapid growth in popularity of Contract Bridge, the tournament held at Harrogate has provided it in a most convincing manner.

Over a thousand competitors from England, Scotland and Wales—the large majority women—took part in the various events, and their enthusiasm and keenness were only equalled by the skill and knowledge which they displayed.

It has often been urged that the innumerable infallible bidding systems which have been introduced during the last seven years have deterred a large number of people from taking up the game.

But it is now quite evident that the merits of these various systems have been sifted out, the good parts retained and others discarded, with the result that players have come to the conclusion that adherence to the basic principles and card sense are all that is necessary to achieve good results.

## The Problems

However, there are always problems in bridge which present difficulties. Duplicate matches bring this fact to light daily. The results obtained by various players—and fairly good players—are not by any means perfect.

For example, here is a hand which was played in the final round of the Fours Championship at Harrogate, in which 54 teams of four entered:

A slam can be made in Diamonds or Clubs, and only one pair succeeded in bidding this slam.

Here are North and South hands. North was the dealer:

North	South
S.—J	S.—A 7 4
H.—K J 10 4	H.—3
D.—K 6 3 2	D.—A 9 8 7 4
C.—K Q 10 5	C.—A J 7 4

How would you bid this hand? North's hand does not contain any Ace, is a 3-suiter hand, and it is evident that if a fit can be found in either of the three suits, or the partner can show Spades, a game is probable.

Therefore, an opening bid of One Club is advisable. When South hears an opening bid from his partner of One Club, he should definitely envisage a game and a probable slam. What should be his next move?

He must make some sort of bid to indicate this to his partner. Holding a singleton Heart, a No Trumps bid is inadvisable. He must, therefore, encourage his partner with a bid of at least Two or Three Diamonds.

If you are playing the forcing tactics, Two Diamonds will be sufficient. Personally, I prefer to count up the value of my hand in the simple manner which I have often recommended.

I envisage my partner, who has opened with One Club, with a hand containing a minimum of 13 points, reckoning the honours as follows:

A—4; K—3; Q—2; J—1.

And as a responding hand my honour count is also 13, but I count three points extra for the fourth Club, reckoning Clubs as Trumps, and three points more for the singleton Heart, which gives my hand a total of 19 points. If Clubs are Trumps.

With my 19 points, and 13 points in the original hand, equalling 32, I immediately envisage a slam. I therefore indicate the strength of my hand to my partner with a triple jump in Diamonds, in case the Diamonds should fit his hand. I could just

## JAPANESE ART

Wonderful Display  
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KIMONOS

The well-known collector, Mr. Okomoto, who exhibited here in February, 1934, has been displaying silk goods with Komor's since Wednesday last. The exhibition remains open for three more days. Lovers of fine tapestry, silks, wood-cut prints and cultured pearls will be very greatly surprised at the choice collection.

## Obis

Obis are Japanese belts worn by the ladies in general; but for court ceremonies a special kind is required. Wealth and standing are judged by the quality and value of the obi worn with the court kimono. Some of the obis exhibited by Mr. Okomoto are made by hand, woven with gold thread from exquisite designs.

## Prints

Japanese prints, old and new, are made in similar fashion to the ancient German wood cuts. The designs are drawn by one of Japan's foremost artists and the block with the completed drawing is handed to another expert craftsman, who with the same tediousness as the modern ivory carver, carves the designs with deep and shallow indentations to hold the various colours for printing. Even to-day, with modern manufacture, authentic copies are still produced in exactly the same manner and with the same material as 100 years ago, but many imitations printed with modern chemical dyes and made with modern printing mats are in circulation at very cheap prices. Authentic copies of old prints have a standard market value and become rare in time and go up in value.

## Kimonos

Lover of bright colours and fine materials will appreciate the flashing beauties of the Japanese court kimonos exhibited by Mr. Okomoto, who has collected these for over 15 years.

## Pearls

Owing to the unfortunate death of Mrs. Kodaka, Mr. Kodaka is not able to hold his regular pearl exhibition this year. Messrs. Komor and Komor have arranged with Mr. Okomoto to display a few genuine cultured pearl necklaces so as not to disappoint their regular customers. The quality, price and lustre of the pearls equal those of the annual exhibition, but owing to the value of this type of merchandise the quantity this time is rather limited. During this exhibition Komor's Art Galleries will be open till 7 p.m.

as easily have bid Five Clubs, the bidding actually proceeding as follows:

## North

One Club.

Four Diamonds.

South

Three Diamonds.

Six Clubs.

A small slam was made.

The majority of those who used approach forcing tactics bid the hand in the following manner:—

## North

One Club.

Three Diamonds. (Showing support in Diamonds; suit verified.)

South

Three No Trumps. (Indicating no further values.)

Two diamonds. (A forcing bid.)

Three Spades. (Indicating control of the Spade suit.)

Five Clubs. (Here the bidding ended and a small slam was missed.)

If you employ the simple method of hand valuation which I have advocated, you will at once come to the conclusion that a slam with this hand is more than probable, and it is one of many instances where the partner who holds the big hand should take control of the situation and bid the small slam himself.

In this particular example, South holds three Aces, and it is extremely unlikely that North, who holds no Ace at all, is ever likely to attempt a slam bid.

Therefore, South must take the initiative, and the moral is this: Don't expect your partner to bid your hand for you!



## HONG KONG AND THE NEW TERRITORIES. — No. 183.

SPECIMENS of and queries concerning snakes have been sent to me on several days recently. There was first of all the instance of a lady having been bitten on the Fanling golf course. She, or a friend, had the sense to realise that treatment of snake-bite depends on the species of snake that does the biting and the snake was brought to the hospital and sent to me. It proved to be a harmless i.e. non-venomous species, *Natrix piscator*, the common Water-snake or Shui schr, not even full-grown. I have never heard of anyone having been bitten by this species and can only suggest that it must have been disturbed—perhaps the lady stood on its tail. When I mentioned this story to a friend he remarked that every dead snake proved to be a harmless species. This is, however, not always true! If the snake is venomous and it happens to bite you, you will soon realise the fact, for the bite will be painful and the area round the wound will become inflamed.

## Bamboo Snake

Then along came a Bamboo Snake, *Trimeresurus albolabris*, killed in the garden next door. It was just dead, or rather its brain was, but its muscles were still contracting. I pressed it behind the head, causing the jaws to open. The mechanism may be of interest to some. The upper jaw is not fused to the skull as in man but articulates at the back with the quadrate (present in the human ear) and with the articular, the hind bone of the lower jaw. The upper jaw consists of the pterygoid behind the palatine in front, both of which bear teeth. The palatine articulates with the short maxilla, which bears the poison fang or fangs. Another bone, the transverse, articulates with the centre of the pterygoid (which is a wide open V in shape) and with the base of the maxilla and anterior end of the palatine in front. When the lower jaw is depressed the articular presses upwards and forwards on the V-shaped pterygoid and palatine arch, which is therefore thrust forwards, this (together with the assistance of the transverse) pushes the maxilla forwards and thus depresses the fang ready for action. As the top end of the quadrate is not fused with the skull, but articulates with it, the forward thrust of the pterygoid-palatine arch is much accentuated by the contraction of facial muscles fixed to the skull in front and the base of the quadrate behind, thus causing the quadrate to hinge downwards and the arch to be pushed forwards. A complicated hinging mechanism, but very efficient. On one side of the snake examined were two fangs, on the other one, which had been broken. With the aid of a match-stick the jaws were kept separated and the snake was picked in this condition.

## Other Colony Snakes

Then a query was received in respect to snakes seen near Starling Inlet; from the descriptions sent they were apparently two Bamboo Snakes and one Red-necked Snake. The latter, *Natrix subminiata*, is non-venomous and can easily be recognised by its dark green or greenish brown colour with conspicuous red markings on the neck.

Another from Sheung Shui proved to be *Boiga multimaculata*, of 1 foot 4½ inches: it had swallowed a lizard, *Calotes versicolor*, 9½ inches in length, which altered its appearance somewhat. This is a pretty spotted snake, not harmful to man but technically venomous, as one or more of its

back teeth are grooved, forming venom ducts. Just as a man would find it difficult to take a bite out of an apple, using only his wisdom teeth, so would this snake find difficulty in injecting venom into your leg. Apparently the use to which these fangs are put is to keep the prey still whilst it is being swallowed. Swallowing a creature more than half your own length cannot at the best of times be easy; but it would be easier if, just as the head was entering the gullet, a dose of venom could be injected; then wriggling tail and kicking legs would not avail the prospective meal to regain its freedom. Whether it is better to kill your food first, as in the case of the Bamboo Snake, or eat it first and kill it after, as in the case of the Spotted Snake, is another problem.

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## REARMAMENT IN RUMANIA

Dramatic Meeting Of  
Cabinet

Bucarest—Rumania is to spend over £4,000,000 on rearmament, it is stated here, as the result of advice given by French, Yugoslavian and Czechoslovakian military experts who were present at the recent Royal manoeuvres.

This decision was taken following two dramatic meetings held on the actual "scene of battle," after which the Prime Minister, M. Tatarescu, rushed back to Bucarest, where he called a special Cabinet meeting to discuss the means of raising the necessary funds.

## Increased Taxation

About half the money, according to official sources, will have to be raised by means of a loan and increased taxation.

Should the Government be successful in raising the money, it is believed that the opposition will be unable to force it out of power in accordance with present plans for a peasant march on the capital on November 14.—Reuter.

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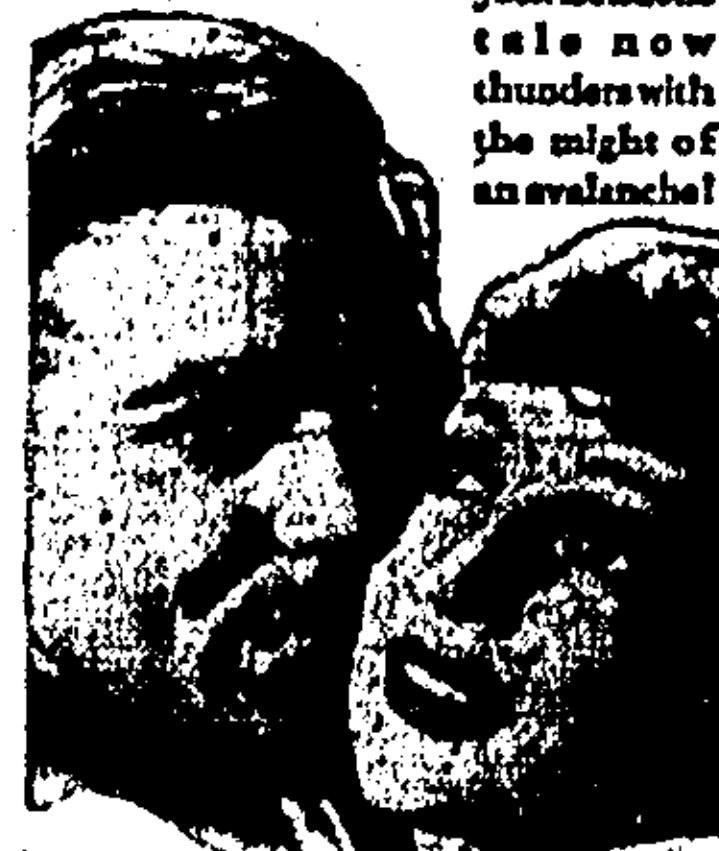
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From London come rumours of an overseas romance linking the names of Ellena Landi and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., who are making a movie together there. Their marriage is predicted as soon as the actress' divorce decree becomes final.

## SMUGGLERS OF SILVER

Japanese Nationals To  
Be Warned

PROCLAMATION SHORTLY BY  
AUTHORITIES IN SHANGHAI

Shanghai, Yesterday.  
Questioned yesterday about the report current locally, to the effect that the Japanese authorities in Shanghai are contemplating taking severe action against Japanese nationals who have infringed the new Chinese currency regulations, Mr. H. Acino, Second Secretary to the Japanese Embassy, said: "The Consul-General has under consideration a proposal to issue a proclamation warning Japanese nationals against engaging in attempts to smuggle silver out of China."

He indicated that a proclamation would probably be issued very shortly. — Reuter.

## Friendly Gesture To China

Shanghai, later: The news that the Japanese authorities were considering the proposal to issue a proclamation warning Japanese nationals against smuggling silver out of China leaked out on to the market in the form of a rumour.

Exchange circles regard it as a friendly gesture towards China. The opinion is expressed that the cessation or a diminution of the outflow of silver might result in a reduction of the supply of foreign currencies offered on the local market, hitherto derived from the sale of silver abroad, thereby removing an important factor in the maintenance of the market rates at the present level. — Reuter.

## LONDON METAL MARKETS

PRICES UNCHANGED

London, Last-night.

London Silver prices to-day were unchanged, as follows:—

	Nov. 29	Nov. 30
Spot	29-3/16	29-3/16
Forward	28-7/8	28-7/8

—Our Own Correspondent.

## MESSAGE FROM SOUTH

Referred To Executive  
Committee

MR. CHOU TO RETURN  
TO CANTON

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, Yesterday.  
President Lin Sen of the National Government last night replied to the telegram of Mr. Hsiao Fu-chen, leading member of the South-west Political Council, and stated that his message demanding that force be used to put down the Tungchow rebellion had been referred to the Executive Yuan and Military Affairs Commission for action.

Lieut.-Generals Teng Lung-kwong and Li Han-yun, divisional commanders of the Kwangtung armies, indicated to the high command here that should there be a war between China and Japan they will volunteer for active service. Their offers will be duly forwarded to the Nanking authorities.

Mr. Chou Lou, leading South-west representative in Nanking, telegraphed to Canton saying that he would not accept any post in the Nanking Government but would return here after the first plenary session of the Kuomintang Central Executive Committee. Mr. Chou is Chancellor of the National Sun Yat-sen University and an executive member of the South-west Political Council.

Other delegates to the Fifth National Congress will be back here to-morrow. Nanking's policy towards Japan is by compromise and concessions, hence the South-west leaders are disappointed that all the talk of suppressing Yin Jue-keng's revolt is but talk.

## BRITISH DEFENCE IMPREGNABLE

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Strict secrecy was maintained regarding the nature of the agenda, but it is understood that Signor Mussolini reported on the findings of the Chemical Corporation, which recently held a number of meetings with the object of producing machinery for increasing Italy's fuel supply, especially that suitable for aeroplane engines.

A communique will probably be issued at the close of the meeting. STRICT SECRECY MAINTAINED. Later: A communique issued at the conclusion of the Cabinet meeting states that the Cabinet approved the recommendation of the head of the Government for the expansion of the Supreme Committee for National Defence. No direct reference is made to the war or to sanctions.

PHILIPPINES APPROACHED. Geneva: The decision to approach the Philippines, as the latest born independent State, with a request for collaboration in the sanctions against Italy was taken to-day by the League Committee of Experts. — Reuter.

## FAIRPLAY FOR CAPITAL

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"RIDICULOUS" APPLICATIONS. He added: "The Fuehrer idea is a most right and fortunate idea, provided the Fuehrer is the Fuehrer; but leaders are scarce. There are many more leaders' posts than there are leaders. To apply the leader principle to every stocking factory makes the idea ridiculous."

"Economic autocracy is only possible when sufficient foreign currency is available to meet fresh deficits. Foreign currency does not all fall from heaven, but can only be obtained by increased enterprise." — Reuter.



After the battle is over the real fight begins—the fight to save the wounded. This first-aid station, one of the few on the Ethiopian side of the lines, has been rushed to the battlefield to alleviate somewhat the pain and suffering of the wounded after a skirmish with the Italian forces on the northern front.

## AUTONOMY MOVE IN NORTH

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It is believed that the Tungchow episode will be settled by negotiations without resort to arms by Nanking.

## Discussion At Shanghai

Shanghai, Yesterday.

Acting under instructions of General Chiang Kai-shek, Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission, Generals Chen Chun and Chen Yi to-day called on Mr. Akira Arisuyoshi, Japanese Ambassador to China, and Major-General Rensuke Isogai, Japanese Military Attache. They were closeted at the Japanese Embassy for a discussion lasting almost two hours.

Later Mr. Huang Fu called at the home of General Chang Chun-wei. While the nature of these meetings is not disclosed, it is understood that the Central Authorities will attempt to settle the Tungchow incident by diplomatic negotiations.

FLEET MOVEMENTS REPORTED. Canton: "Sixty big cruisers flying the Chinese flag are cruising somewhere in the Pacific Ocean in connection with the Japanese threat to occupy North China," stated the Kwun Shing Evening News last night.

The Union News Service attempted to verify this statement to-day but failed to secure confirmation. It is believed that this report is purely propaganda. — Union News.

UNTRUTHFUL RUMOURS. Canton: It is learned from official sources that secret agents are going about the various districts in the province spreading disturbing rumours about the Sino-Japanese relations. General Chan Chai-tong has issued instructions to the various district authorities to take precautions against the activities of such agents.

MORE TELEGRAMS.

Canton: The Nine Po Society in Canton circulated telegrams yesterday denouncing the so-called "Autonomy Government" in North China. The telegrams urge Marshal Chiang Kai-shek to lead his crack troops north and curb the rebellion. — Central Press.

## Kupeikow Conditions "Miserable"

JAPANESE TROOPS AT  
GREAT WALL PASS

Nanking, Yesterday.  
The present conditions in Kupeikow are miserable," declared Mr. Ho Shih in a press interview to-day.

## POMPEY WIN

LINCOLN OUT  
OF CUP

WREXHAM FAIL  
AT BARROW

LEICESTER BEATEN

London, Last-night.

Celtic's loss of a home point and Aston Villa's revival were the outstanding features of to-day's football programme which had as an added attraction 34 F. A. Cup-ties.

Results, as cabled by Reuter, were as follow:

F. A. CUP FIRST ROUND

Coventry	1	Scunthorpe	1
Oldham	6	Ferry H. A.	1
York	1	Burton T.	5
Staly Bridge			
Celtic	4	Kells U.	0
Kidderminster	4	Bishop	
		Auckland	1

Hull	4	Rochedale	0
Grantham	0	Notts C.	2
Scarborough	2	Darwen	0
N. Brighton	1	Workington	3
Walsall	2	Lincoln	0
Chester	1	Gateshead	0
Wigan A.	1	Rotherham	2
Mansfield	2	Hartlepool	3
Crows	4	Boston	2
Barrow	4	Wrexham	1
Gainsborough T.	3	Blyth S.	1
Darlington	4	Accrington	2
Tranmere	3	Carlisle	0
Chesterfield	3	Southport	0
Yeovil Potters	0	Newport (Isle of Wright)	1

Cardiff	0	Dartford	3
Southall	3	Swindon	1
Northampton	0	Bristol R.	0
Romford	3	Folkestone	3
Newport	0	Southend	1
Bristol C.	0	Crystal P.	1
Nunhead	2	Watford	4
Margate	3	Queen's P.R.	1
Dulwich Hamlet	2	Torquay	3
Reading	8	Corinthians	3
Exeter	0	Gillingham	4
Walthamstow	1	Bournemouth	1
Clapton	0	Aldershot	0
Brighton	0	Cheltenham	0

FIRST DIVISION

Aston Villa	4	Stoke	0
Bolton	2	Birmingham	0
Brentford	2	Leeds	2
Derby	2	W. Brom.	0
Everton	0	Sunderland	3
H'field	0	Arsenal	0
M'boro'	2	Manchester C.	0
Portsmouth	2	Liverpool	1
Preston	1	Grimsby	0
Wednesday	4	Chelsea	1
Wolves	8	Blackburn	1

SECOND DIVISION

Barnsley	8	Sheffield U.	2
Bradford C.	0	Norwich	1
Burley	5	Swansea	2
Charlton	1	Leicester	0
Fulham	4	West Ham	2
Hull	1	Bradford	1
Manchester U.	0	Doncaster	0
Newcastle	6	Notts F.	1
Plymouth	0	Southampton	0
Port Vale	2	Bury	2
Tottenham	3	Blackpool	1

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Aberdeen	2	Heart of	1
Airdrie	3	Arbroath	3
Ayr	1	T. Lanark	3
Celtic	1	Partick	1
Dundee	2	Motherwell	2
*Hamilton	v	St. Johnstone	
Hibernians	2	Dunfermline	3
Queen's Pk.	0	Albion	1
Queen O'S	2	Clyde	2
Rangers	2	Kilmarnock	1

\* postponed owing to water-logged ground. — Reuter.

## "ALL BLACKS" HELD

London, Yesterday.—The "All Blacks" drew with Ulster, 3 points all, at Belfast to-day. — Reuter.

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